

FRIENDS'  
ALMANAC  
FOR THE YEAR  
1857:

BEING THE FIRST AFTER BISSEXTILE OR LEAP  
YEAR.

CONTAINING

the Rising, Setting, Southing, Places and Eclipses of the Sun and  
Moon; the Phases and Age of the Moon; the Rising, Setting,  
and Southing of the most conspicuous Planets  
and fixed Stars; Equation of time;  
the Sun's Declination;

Planets' Places in right Ascension and Declination; the Time of  
High Water at Philadelphia, &c.

Also an account of the times and places of holding the  
Meetings of Friends on the Continent of America.

*Astronomical Calculations for the 40th degree of N. Latitude,  
and adapted to the Meridians of*

New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Cincinnati.

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## RISING AND SETTING OF THE PLANETS.

It should be observed that these are not sensibly affected by the longitude of a place. When the hour is less than six, it is in the morning; when greater than six, it is in the evening.

Date.	Planet.	Bost.	Phil'a.	Ch'stn	Date.	Planet.	Bost.	Phil.	Ch'stn
1857.		h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	1857.		h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
1 mo. 1.	Venus sets	7 50	7 55	8 8	7 mo. 1.	Jupiter rises	1 1	1 6	1 17
10.	Jupiter sets	10 52	10 52	10 52	10.	Mars rises	3 49	3 57	4 18
20.	Mercury sets	6 24	6 29	6 41	20.	Venus rises	1 40	1 45	2 1
2d " 1.	Mars sets	7 49	7 51	7 57	8th " 1.	Mercury sets	7 49	7 43	7 29
10.	Venus sets	9 16	9 15	9 13	10.	Saturn rises	2 54	3 1	3 20
20.	Jupiter sets	8 49	8 48	8 45	20.	Jupiter rises	10 2	10 7	10 19
3d " 1.	Venus sets	9 48	9 44	9 34	9th " 1.	Venus rises	2 0	2 6	2 23
10.	Mars sets	7 50	7 48	7 44	10.	Mercury sets	6 57	7 0	7 6
20.	Jupiter sets	7 33	7 31	7 27	20.	Jupiter rises	7 56	8 1	8 13
4th " 1.	Venus sets	10 9	10 1	9 40	10 " 1.	Mars rises	2 52	2 56	3 6
10.	Jupiter sets	6 36	6 34	6 28	10.	Saturn rises	11 19	11 25	11 43
20.	Mars sets	7 47	7 41	7 29	20.	Mercury ri.	4 48	4 47	4 47
5th " 1.	Jupiter rises	4 30	4 32	4 40	11 " 1.	Venus rises	4 7	4 7	4 5
10.	Saturn sets	11 3	10 55	10 35	10.	Saturn rises	9 21	9 28	9 45
20.	Venus rises	3 44	3 50	4 5	20.	Jupiter sets	5 22	5 17	5 6
6th " 1.	Saturn sets	9 46	9 38	9 18	12 " 1.	Saturn rises	7 56	8 2	8 20
10.	Mars rises	4 22	4 30	4 51	10.	Venus rises	5 44	5 39	5 23
20.	Venus rises	4 18	4 23	4 34	20.	Jupiter sets	3 10	3 6	2 56

## COMPOSITION OF THE MOON.

Every object on the surface of the Moon of the height of one hundred feet, is distinctly seen through Lord Rosse's telescope. On its surface are craters of extinct volcanoes, rocks, and masses of stone, almost innumerable. But there are no signs of habitations such as ours; no vestige of architectural remains to show that the moon is, or ever was inhabited by a race of mortals similar to ourselves. No water is visible, no sea, no river—all seems desolate.

### NOTE.

Friends' Large Almanac having become very imperfect in regard to the meetings, a new edition is published this year by the undersigned, thoroughly revised with great care, and corrected up to the present time  
 Seventh Month, 1856. T. E. CHAPMAN.

## NOTES TO THE READER.

I. The astronomical calculations in this work, are made to true clock time. The effects of Refraction, according to the latest improved Tables of Bessel, and the Equation of Time, have both been applied to the times of the Sun's rising and setting: so that the Sun, the Almanac, and a good Clock, will agree the year round.

II. A Time-piece may be set very nearly true by the rising, setting, or southing of the Sun, Moon or Stars,—but more accurately by the Sun, (or the Southing of the Sun, or a fixed Star) any where on or near the 40th degree of north latitude.

III. The time of the rising, setting, or southing of a fixed Star may be carried several days forward by subtracting, or backward by adding 4 minutes per day.

IV. The common day of 24 hours, begins at midnight, and morning (marked morn.) continues from midnight till noon; and afternoon (marked aft.) continues from noon till midnight; this should be remembered carefully when looking for the times of the rising, setting, or southing of the Moon or Stars soon after midnight.

V. Under Moon's Phases; Full Moon on the 7th of Sixth month, and First Quarter on the 24th of Eleventh month; each marked morn. at Cincinnati, will occur in the afternoon at New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore; also Full Moon on the 3d, and New Moon on the 17th of Ninth month; each marked aft. at Cincinnati, will occur on the mornings of the 4th and 18th of Ninth month, at New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore; all, at the times respectively stated, under those headings.


## ECLIPSES.


In the year 1857 there will be two Eclipses, both of the Sun.

I. A total Eclipse of the Sun, on the 25th of Third month Invisible east of the meridian of Washington. Visible just before sun-set, over a large portion of the Southern and Western States. At Charleston and Pittsburg, the eclipse begins a few minutes before the sun goes down; at New Orleans and St. Louis, the middle of the eclipse occurs at sun-set. This eclipse will be total, in Mexico, South Pacific Ocean, and Australia.

II. An Annular Eclipse of the Sun, on the 17th and 18th of Ninth month. Invisible in the United States. Annular in the southern part of Asia and in the East India Islands.

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 Venus ( $\text{♀}$ ) will be Evening Star until the 8th of Fifth Month, then Morning Star the remainder of the year. It will be brightest on the 4th of Fourth Month, visible in the west, and on the 15th of Sixth Month, visible in the East in the morning.

 Mereury ( $\text{☿}$ ) will be brightest about the 12th of First month, 5th of Fifth month, 2d of Eighth month, and 27th of Twelfth month; at which times it will be likely to be visible, being then in the west, immediately after sun-set. It will again be brightest about the 28th of Second month, 27th of Sixth month, and 19th of Tenth month, when it will be in the east just before sun-rise.

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## THE PLANET SATURN.

A discovery of an important and most interesting kind has lately been made as to the planet Saturn, by the new monster telescope of Mr. Craig, namely: that the rings are not rings at all, but arches of the most perfect geometrical formation; not of equal thickness, nor chamfered, but rather with terrace-like mouldings. And hence the appearance of the outward ring, consisting of several concentric rings. From this appearance, it is now supposed that none of the rings are in the same plane.

## Explanations of Astronomical Characters.

### THE PLANETS AND THEIR RELATIONS.

☉ or ☺ the Sun	♀ Venus	♃ Jupiter
☾ the Moon	♁ the Earth	♄ Saturn
☿ Mercury	♂ Mars	♅ Uranus
♊ A Planet's ascending node.		
♋ The descending node.		
♌ Conjunction, or Planets situated in the same longitude.		
☐ Quadrature, or Planets situated in longitude differing three signs from each other.		
♌ Opposition, or Planets situated in opposite longitudes, or differing six signs from each other.		
N. North	Inf. Inferior	Im. Immersion
S. South	Sup. Superior	Em. Emersion

### Signs of the Zodiac.

1st ♈ Aries	(0 + ..)	7th ♎ Libra	(6 + ..)
2d ♉ Taurus	1	8th ♏ Scorpio	7
3d ♊ Gemini	2	9th ♐ Sagittarius	8
4th ♋ Cancer	3	10th ♑ Capricornus	9
5th ♌ Leo	4	11th ♒ Aquarius	10
6th ♍ Virgo	5	12th ♓ Pisces	11

### SEASONS.

Sun enters ♈ Third Month 20, at 10h. 44m. A. M.; when Spring commences, and the days and nights are equal.

Sun enters ♋ Sixth Month 21, at 7h. 25m. A. M.; when Summer commences, and the longest day occurs.

Sun enters ♎ Ninth Month 22, at 9h. 32m. P. M.; when Autumn commences, and the days and nights are again equal.

Sun enters ♓ Twelfth Month 21, at 3h. 16m. P. M.; when Winter commences, and the shortest day occurs.

### EPOCHS OF 1856.

Dominical Letter	D	Julian Period	6570
Lunar Cycle	15	Solar Cycle	18
Roman Indiction	15		



# FIRST MONTH, 1857.

## MOON'S PHASES.

	N. York.			Philada.			Baltimore			Cincinnati.		
	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.
☾ New Moon	3	7	18	3	7	13	3	7	7	3	6	36 mor.
○ First Quar.	10	4	12	10	4	7	10	4	1	10	3	30 mor.
☾ Full Moon,	17	11	54	17	11	49	17	11	43	17	11	12 aft.
● Last Quar.	25	6	30	25	6	25	25	6	19	25	5	48 aft.

M	W	Miscellanies.	Sun	Sun	Sun's	Sun south
D	D		rises.	sets.	dec. s.	H. M. S.
1	5	Wayne b. 1745.	7 24	4 44	22°59'	12 4 4
2	6	☉ in Perigee.	7 24	4 45	22 53	12 4 32
3	7	Sirius rises 6 42.	7 24	4 46	22 47	12 5 0
4	D	Aldebaran south 9 29	7 24	4 47	22 41	12 5 27
5	2	☾ in Perigee	7 24	4 48	22 34	12 5 54
6	3	♄ ☌ ☾	7 24	4 49	22 27	12 6 20
7	4	Galileo d. 1642	7 24	4 50	22 19	12 6 46
8	5	Regulus rises 8 8 1	7 23	4 51	22 11	12 7 11
9	6	♂ ☌ ☾ ☾	7 23	4 52	22 3	12 7 36
10	7	Jupiter sets 10 52	7 23	4 53	21 54	12 8 0
11	D	Dr. Dwight d. 1817	7 23	4 54	21 44	12 8 24
12	2	Day's length, 9 24	7 22	4 55	21 35	12 8 47
13	3	Rigel so. 9 33 37	7 22	4 56	21 24	12 9 9
14	4	Day-break 5 45	7 22	4 57	21 14	12 9 31
15	5	♄ gt. el. 18° 46' E.	7 21	4 58	21 3	12 9 52
16	6	Aldebaran so. 8 42	7 21	4 59	20 51	12 10 13
17	7	Venus sets 8 31	7 20	5 0	20 39	12 10 32
18	D	☾ in Apogee.	7 20	5 1	20 27	12 10 51
19	2	James Watt b. 1736	7 19	5 2	20 14	12 11 10
20	3	Western Q. M.	7 19	5 3	20 1	12 11 27
21	4	♄ in Perihelion	7 18	5 4	19 48	12 11 44
22	5	Culn Q. M.	7 18	5 5	19 34	12 12 0
23	6	Rutledge d. 1800. ☾	7 17	5 6	19 20	12 12 16
24	7	Rigel so. 8 50	7 16	5 7	19 6	12 12 30
25	D	Twilight ends 6 43	7 16	5 8	18 51	12 12 44
26	2	♄ ☌ ☾	7 15	5 9	18 36	12 12 57
27	3	Concord, Q. M.	7 14	5 11	18 20	12 13 9
28	4	♂ ☌ ☾	7 13	5 12	18 4	12 13 20
29	5	♀ ☌ ☾	7 13	5 13	17 48	12 13 31
30	6	☾ in Perigee	7 12	5 14	17 32	12 13 40
31	7	Sirius so. 9 53 43	7 11	5 16	17 15	12 13 49

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## Planets' places in Right Ascension and Declination.

	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.
	D	H. M.	° /	H. M.	D	H. M.	° /	H. M.
♀ Venus	1	21 36	16 12 S	2 52	17 22 48	8 43 S	3 1	
♂ Mars	5	21 42	14 58 S	2 42	21 22 30	10 27 S	2 27	
♃ Jupiter	9	0 12	0 4 S	4 56	25 0 21	1 0 N	4 2	
♄ Saturn	13	6 42	22 33 N	11 9	29 6 37	22 40 N	10 1	

M	☾	☾	Moon	Moon	H. W.	NEUTRALIZATION OF THE		
D	☾	☾	rises.	South	Phila.	BLACK SEA.—One of the pro-		
1	18	5	10 42	4 43	6 31	positions, which it is said Rus-		
2	☿	6	11 53	5 30	7 18	sia has accepted, is the neutrali-		
3	16	7	morn.	6 17	8 5	zation of the Black Sea. This		
4	8	8	1 6	7 7	8 55	seems almost too good to be true.		
5	14	9	2 21	8 1	9 49	If this provision should be fully		
6	28	10	3 37	8 57	10 45	carried out, it would be the		
7	☐	11	4 52	9 58	11 46	“beginning of the end.” It		
8	26	12	6 4	11 1	0 49	excludes the war-ships of all		
9	☿	13	rises.	morn.	1 31	nations from the waters of that		
10	24	14	5 8	0 1	2 13	sea. This would be a remarka-		
11	♈	15	6 19	0 58	3 10	ble step toward a new condition		
12	21	16	7 27	1 50	4 2	of things in the world. What		
13	♊	17	8 34	2 38	4 50	a precedent! What a text for		
14	16	18	9 36	3 22	5 34	a Peace Congress! What an		
15	29	19	10 35	4 3	6 15	argument for simultaneous na-		
16	☿	20	11 36	4 42	6 54	val disarmament! If there are		
17	22	21	morn.	5 22	7 34	to be no more war-ships in the		
18	♈	22	0 37	6 3	8 15	Black Sea, why have any in		
19	16	23	1 38	6 45	8 57	the Mediterranean, in the Bal-		
20	28	24	2 41	7 31	9 43	tie, or on the Ocean? If civil-		
21	♊	25	3 45	8 20	10 32	ized nations are wicked and		
22	23	26	4 48	9 14	11 26	insane enough to go to war in		
23	☿	27	5 48	10 10	0 22	this enlightened age, is there		
24	19	28	6 41	11 7	1 19	not land enough for battle		
25	☿	29	sets.	aft.	3 2 3	ground? Why should floating		
26	16	1	6 5	0 58	2 46	rafts on the sea be necessary,		
27	♈	2	7 18	1 49	3 37	as if the solid earth were too		
28	14	3	8 31	2 39	4 27	contracted for sword-room?		
29	28	4	9 43	3 27	5 15	Most ardently do we hope the		
30	☿	5	10 56	4 15	6 3	Black Sea will be thus neutral-		
31	26	6	morn.	5 5	6 53	ized. This will be the point		
						of departure from the war-		

# SECOND MONTH, 1857.

## MOON'S PHASES.

	<i>N. York.</i>			<i>Philada.</i>			<i>Baltimore</i>			<i>Cincinnati.</i>		
	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.
☾ First Quar.	1	3	24	1	3	19	1	3	13	1	2	42aft.
○ Full Moon,	8	6	57	8	6	52	8	6	46	8	6	15aft.
☾ Last Quar.	16	9	24	16	9	19	16	9	13	16	8	42aft.
● New Moon,	24	7	2	24	6	57	24	6	51	24	6	20mor.

M	W	<i>Miscellanies.</i>	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun south
D	D		rises.	sets.	dec. s.	H. M. S.
1	D	☿ grt. Hel. Lat. N.	7 10	5 18	16°58'	12 13 57
2	2	Venus sets 9 2	7 9	5 19	16 40	12 14 4
3	3	<i>Philadelphia Q. M.</i>	7 8	5 20	16 23	12 14 10
4	4	Jupiter sets 9 35	7 7	5 21	16 5	12 14 16
5	5	<i>Abington Q. M.</i> ☾	7 5	5 22	15 47	12 14 20
6	6	Rigel so. 7 59 13	7 4	5 23	15 28	12 14 24
7	7	Day-break 5 32	7 3	5 24	15 9	12 14 27
8	D	Saturn so. 9 19	7 2	5 26	14 50	12 14 29
9	2	Sirius so. 9 18 13	7 1	5 27	14 31	12 14 31
10	3	Victoria mar. 1840	7 0	5 28	14 12	12 14 31
11	4	Mars sets 7 51	6 59	5 29	13 52	12 14 31
12	5	<i>Salem Q. M.</i>	6 58	5 31	13 32	12 14 30
13	6	Day's length 10 28	6 57	5 32	13 12	12 14 28
14	7	☾ in Apogee	6 56	5 33	12 51	12 14 26
15	D	Rigel so. 7 23 54	6 54	5 34	12 31	12 14 23
16	2	Melanethon b. 1497	6 53	5 35	12 10	12 14 19
17	3	M. Angelo d. 1563.	6 52	5 37	11 49	12 14 14
18	4	M. Luther d. 1546.	6 50	5 38	11 28	12 14 9
19	5	Twilight ends 7 10 ☾	6 49	5 39	11 6	12 14 3
20	6	Jupiter sets 8 48	6 48	5 41	10 45	12 13 57
21	7	Sirius so. 8 31 15	6 46	5 42	10 23	12 13 50
22	D	☿ ☽ ☾	6 45	5 43	10 1	12 13 42
23	2	J.Q. Adams d. 1848.	6 43	5 44	9 39	12 13 33
24	3	<i>Burlington Q. M.</i>	6 42	5 45	9 17	12 13 24
25	4	<i>Southern Q. M.</i>	6 41	5 46	8 55	12 13 15
26	5	<i>Bucks Q. M.</i>	6 39	5 47	8 32	12 13 4
27	6	☾ ☽ ☾ and ☿ ☽ ☾	6 38	5 48	8 10	12 12 54
28	7	Venus sets 9 43	6 36	5 49	7 47	12 12 42



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## Planets' places in Right Ascension and Declination.

	M	R.	A.	Declin.	P.	M.	M	R.	A.	Declin.	P.	M.
	D	H.	M.	° ' "	H.	M.	D	H.	M.	° ' "	H.	M.
♀ Venus	1	23	50	1 15 S	3	4	17	0	53	6 57 N	3	4
♂ Mars	5	23	13	5 52 S	2	11	21	23	58	0 48 S	1	53
♃ Jupiter	9	0	32	2 10 N	3	13	25	0	44	3 31 N	2	23
♄ Saturn	13	6	34	22 45 N	8	58	28	6	32	22 49 N	7	58

M	☾	☾	Moon	Moon	H. W.	policy of past ages. Full of
D	☾	☾	sets.	South	Phila.	hope will it be; a grand step
1	8	7	0 11	5 56	7 44	towards a glorious consumma-
2	25	8	1 27	6 51	8 39	tion.
3	II	9	2 42	7 49	9 37	
4	23	10	3 52	8 50	10 38	IGNORANCE IS BLISS.—Were
5	☽	11	4 57	9 50	11 38	the time of our death foreseen,
6	20	12	5 51	10 47	0 35	what a melancholy character
7	♈	13	6 34	11 41	1 29	would it impart to the pursuits
8	16	14	rises.	morn.	2 5	and occupations of the human
9	29	15	6 18	0 30	2 42	race! If every man saw the
10	♊	16	7 21	1 15	3 27	moment of his death continually
11	24	17	8 23	1 57	4 9	before him, how would his
12	♈	18	9 24	2 37	4 49	thoughts be fixed to the fatal
13	18	19	10 24	3 17	5 29	spot; and upon its near ap-
14	♊	20	11 24	3 58	6 10	proach, the consideration of it
15	12	21	morn.	4 39	6 51	would probably absorb every
16	24	22	0 27	5 23	7 35	other. With respect to our
17	♊	23	1 30	6 10	8 22	fellow-creatures, how would it
18	18	24	2 33	7 1	9 13	poison the springs of enjoy-
19	♊	25	3 34	7 56	10 8	ment were parents and children,
20	13	26	4 29	8 52	11 4	husbands and wives, brothers
21	26	27	5 16	9 48	0 0	and sisters, able to calculate
22	♊	28	5 55	10 43	0 55	with certainty the period of
23	24	29	6 29	11 37	1 49	each other's lives! We should
24	♊	0	sets.	aft. 28	2 28	seem to be walking among the
25	23	1	7 25	1 18	3 6	victims of death—the scenes
26	♊	2	8 40	2 8	3 56	of human existence would lose
27	22	3	9 58	2 59	4 47	all cheerfulness, animation and
28	8	4	11 14	3 51	5 39	beauty. The interests of society
						would also sustain more serious
						injury. Many great and noble

# THIRD MONTH, 1857.

## MOON'S PHASES.

		N. York.			Philada.			Baltimore			Cincinnati.		
		D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.
☾	First Quar.	2	11	34	2	11	29	2	11	23	2	10	52 aft.
○	Full Moon,	10	11	21	10	11	16	10	11	10	10	10	39 mor
☾	Last Quar.	18	4	7	18	4	2	18	3	56	18	3	25 aft.
●	New Moon,	25	5	32	25	5	27	25	5	21	25	4	50 aft.

M	W.		Sun	Sun	Sun's	Sun south
D	D	Miscellanies.	rises.	sets.	dec. s.	H. M. S.
1	D	☿ ☌ ☾	6 35	5 50	7°24'	12 12 30
2	2	Sirius so. 7 55 51	6 33	5 51	7 1	12 12 18
3	3	Day-break 5 0	6 32	5 52	6 38	12 12 5
4	4	☿ ☌ ☾ ☾	6 30	5 53	6 15	12 11 55
5	5	Procyon so. 8 37	6 29	5 54	5 52	12 11 38
6	6	♂ in Aphelion.	6 27	5 55	5 29	12 11 25
7	7	Venus sets 9 52	6 25	5 57	5 6	12 11 9
8	D	☿ Stationary.	6 24	5 58	4 42	12 10 54
9	2	♀ in Perihelion	6 22	5 59	4 19	12 10 39
10	3	Mars sets 7 48	6 20	6 0	3 55	12 10 23
11	4	B. West d. 1820	6 19	6 1	3 32	12 10 7
12	5	Haddonfield Q. M.	6 17	6 2	3 8	12 9 50
13	6	Sirius so. 7 12 42	6 16	6 3	2 44	12 9 34
14	7	☾ in Apogee	6 15	6 4	2 21	12 9 17
15	D	♂ ☌ ☿	6 13	6 5	1 57	12 9 0
16	2	Jas. Madison b. 1757	6 11	6 7	1 33	12 8 42
17	3	Pollux so. 7 54 35	6 10	6 8	1 10	12 8 23
18	4	Jupiter sets 7 36	6 8	6 9	0 46	12 8 7
19	5	[D. & Nights eq'l] ☾	6 6	6 10	S 22	12 7 43
20	6	☉ ent. ♀ Spr. com.	6 5	6 11	N 1	12 7 31
21	7	Southey d. 1843.	6 3	6 12	0 25	12 7 13
22	D	Twilight ends 7 44	6 1	6 13	0 49	12 6 54
23	2	Rigel sets 10 33	5 59	6 14	1 12	12 6 30
24	3	Q. Eliz. d. 1603.	5 57	6 15	1 36	12 6 18
25	4	☉ Eclipsed.	5 55	6 16	2 0	12 5 59
26	5	☾ in Perigee	5 54	6 17	2 23	12 5 41
27	6	♂ ☌ ☾	5 52	6 18	2 47	12 5 23
28	7	♀ ☌ ☾	5 51	6 19	3 10	12 5 4
29	D	Soult b. 1765	5 49	6 20	3 33	12 4 40
30	2	Regulus so. 9 27 13	5 48	6 21	3 57	12 4 27
31	3	♀ g. Hel. Lat. N. ☾	5 46	6 22	4 20	12 4 9

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## *Planets' places in Right Ascension and Declination.*

	M	R.	A.	Declin.	P. M.	M	R.	A.	Declin.	P. M.
	D	H.	M.	° /	H. M.	D	H. M.	° /	H. M.	H. M.
♀ Venus	1	1	38	12 41 N	3	1	17	2 33	19 10 N	2 53
♂ Mars	5	0	2	2 58 N	1	39	21	1 17	7 48 N	1 21
♃ Jupiter	9	0	54	4 36 N	1	45	25	1 8	6 3 N	0 56
♄ Saturn	13	6	32	22 51 N	7	6	29	6 33	22 52 N	6 5

M	Pl.	Asc.	Moon sets.	Moon South	H. W. Phila.	
1	21	5	morn.	4 46	6 34	enterprizes would never have been begun, could the person who, in the hope of life, engaged in them, have foreseen that, before they could be concluded, they themselves would be snatched away by the hand of death. Many discoveries, by which great benefit has been conferred on the world, would not have been elicited. Few efforts probably would be made to attain any object, the consequences of which terminate with the life of the party, if he foresaw that they would be intercepted by death. Who would venture to engage in any lucrative employment, if he certainly knew that the benefit would not be even partially realized during the term of his mental existence? But happily for mankind events are concealed—duties only are made known.— <i>R. Hall.</i>
2	II	6	0 32	5 44	7 32	
3	19	7	1 46	6 44	8 32	
4	g	8	2 52	7 44	9 32	
5	17	9	3 49	8 42	10 30	
6	Q	10	4 34	9 36	11 24	
7	13	11	5 11	10 26	0 14	
8	26	12	5 41	11 11	0 59	
9	nx	13	6 5	11 54	1 42	
10	20	14	rises	morn.	2 14	
11	±	15	7 12	0 34	2 46	
12	15	16	8 13	1 14	3 26	
13	26	17	9 14	1 54	4 6	
14	m	18	10 16	2 35	4 47	
15	20	19	11 18	3 18	5 30	
16	†	20	morn.	4 4	6 16	
17	14	21	0 21	4 53	7 5	
18	26	22	1 22	5 44	7 56	
19	v3	23	2 17	6 38	8 50	
20	21	24	3 7	7 33	9 45	
21	~	25	3 49	8 28	10 40	
22	18	26	4 26	9 22	11 34	
23	✕	27	4 55	10 14	0 26	
24	16	28	5 21	11 4	1 16	
25	∅	29	5 47	11 55	2 7	PEACE, IN VIEW OF DEATH.
26	16	1	sets	aft. 46	2 46	—When I am dead and forgotten, the world will be as it is; the same succession and varieties of season, the same revolutions of heaven, and the same changes of earth and sea,
27	8	2	8 52	1 39	3 27	
28	16	3	10 12	2 35	4 23	
29	□	4	11 32	3 35	5 23	
30	16	5	morn.	4 36	6 24	
31	26	6	0 43	5 37	7 25	

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		N. York.			Philada.			Baltimore			Cincinnati.		
		D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.
☾	First Quar.	1	8	38	1	8	33	1	8	27	1	7	56 mor.
○	Full Moon,	9	4	32	9	4	27	9	4	21	9	3	50 mor.
☾	Last Quar.	17	7	4	17	6	59	17	6	53	17	6	22 mor.
●	New Moon,	24	2	18	24	2	13	24	2	7	24	1	36 mor.
☾	First Quar.	30	7	22	30	7	17	30	7	11	30	6	40 aft.

M	W	Miscellanies.	Sun	Sun	Sun's	Sunsouth.		
D.	D		rises.	sets.	dec. n.	H.	M.	s.
1	4	☾ ☽ ☾	5 45	6 23	4° 43'	12	3	51
2	5	Jefferson b. 1743.	5 43	6 24	5 6	12	3	33
3	6	Jupiter sets 6 53	5 42	6 25	5 29	12	3	15
4	7	♀ at grt. brilliancy	5 41	6 26	5 52	12	2	57
5	D	♀ ☽ ☿	5 40	6 27	6 15	12	2	39
6	2	Regulus so. 8 59 44	5 38	6 28	6 37	12	2	22
7	3	Venus sets 9 53	5 36	6 29	7 0	12	2	4
8	4	Day-break 4 0	5 34	6 30	7 22	12	1	47
9	5	Jos. Hume b. 1777.	5 33	6 31	7 45	12	1	30
10	6	♀ in Sup. ☽ ☼	5 31	6 32	8 7	12	1	14
11	7	☾ in Apogee	5 29	6 33	8 29	12	0	57
12	D	♂ ☽ ☼ Easter	5 27	6 34	8 51	12	0	42
13	2	Mars sets 7 43	5 26	6 35	9 12	12	0	26
14	3	Alioth in Mer. 11 14	5 24	6 36	9 34	12	0	11
15	4	♂ in ♍ ☾	5 23	6 37	9 55	11	59	56
16	5	Sirius sets 10 0	5 21	6 38	10 17	11	59	41
17	6	Regulus so. 8 16 28	5 20	6 39	10 38	11	59	27
18	7	♀ Stationary	5 19	6 40	10 59	11	59	13
19	D	♀ in Perihelion	5 18	6 41	11 19	11	59	0
20	2	Byron d. 1824	5 16	6 41	11 40	11	58	47
21	3	Western Q. M.	5 15	6 42	12 0	11	58	34
22	4	♀ ☽ ♂	5 13	6 43	12 21	11	58	22
23	5	Culn Q. M.	5 12	6 44	12 41	11	58	11
24	6	☾ in Perigee.	5 10	6 45	13 0	11	57	59
25	7	♂ ☽ ☾ and ♀ ☽ ☾	5 9	6 46	13 20	11	57	49
26	D	Twilight ends 8 29	5 7	6 47	13 39	11	57	39
27	2	Monroe b. 1758.	5 6	6 48	13 58	11	57	29
28	3	Concord Q. M. ☾	5 5	6 49	14 17	11	57	20
29	4	♀ ☽ ☿	5 3	6 50	14 36	11	57	11
30	5	Washn' inaug. 1789.	5 2	6 51	14 54	11	57	3



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	M	R. A.	Decln.	P. M.	M	A. R.	Decln.	P. M.
	D	H. M.	° /	H. M.	D	H. M.	° /	H. M.
♀ Venus	1	3 15	23 32 N	2 35	17	3 36	25 36 N	1 54
♂ Mars	5	1 58	12 0 N	1 4	21	2 44	15 57 N	0 46
♃ Jupiter	9	1 21	7 26 N	0 11	25	1 36	8 51 N	23 19
♄ Saturn	13	6 37	22 52 N	5 9	29	6 42	22 49 N	4 12

M	D	☾	☾	Moon	Moon	H. W.	
				Sets.	South.	Phila.	
1	13	7	1 44	6 37	8 25		the like occurrence of natural
2	27	8	2 35	7 33	9 21		events and human affairs. It
3	☿	9	3 13	8 23	10 11		is not in my power to alter the
4	23	10	3 44	9 10	10 58		cause of things, or to prevent
5	♈	11	4 10	9 53	11 41		what must be. What should I
6	17	12	4 32	10 33	0 21		do, but quietly take my part of
7	29	13	4 52	11 13	1 1		the present, and humbly leave
8	♊	14	5 11	11 52	1 40		the care of the future to that
9	23	15	rises.	morn.	2 12		all-wise Providence, which or-
10	♈	16	8 5	0 33	2 45		dereth all things, even the most
11	17	17	9 8	1 15	3 27		cross events, according to his
12	29	18	10 11	2 0	4 12		most holy and just purposes?
13	♈	19	11 13	2 47	4 59		— <i>Ibid.</i>
14	23	20	morn.	3 38	5 50		
15	♈	21	0 10	4 31	6 43		THE FOUNDATION AND ITS
16	17	22	1 0	5 24	7 36		TEST.—There is a preparatory
17	♈	23	1 44	6 18	8 30		work; for the apostle says,
18	13	24	2 23	7 11	9 23		"which is able to build you
19	26	25	2 53	8 1	10 13		up." Now, there is a close
20	♈	26	3 21	8 51	11 3		connection between these things.
21	25	27	3 46	9 40	11 52		What is this building up? To
22	♈	28	4 11	10 31	0 43		build you up, that you may
23	24	29	4 42	11 22	1 34		ascend higher and higher, that
24	8	0	sets.	aft. 18	2 18		you may advance, and become
25	25	1	9 5	1 17	3 5		better fitted for heaven. There
26	♈	2	10 24	2 20	4 8		is something striking in that
27	25	3	11 33	3 34	5 22		word, "to <i>build</i> you up." It
28	♈	4	morn.	4 26	6 14		throws us upon the foundation.
29	23	5	0 28	5 25	7 13		And let me say a word about
30	☿	6	1 12	6 19	8 7		that. What is it to build with-
							out a foundation? A building
							is extremely important; in re-
							gard to any edifice, the character

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## MOON'S PHASES.

	N. York.	Philada.	Baltimore	Cincinnati.
	D. H. M. D. H. M.	D. H. M.	D. H. M.	D. H. M.
○ Full Moon,	8 9 15	8 9 10	8 9 4	8 8 33 aft.
☾ Last Quar.	16 6 14	16 6 9	16 6 3	16 5 32 aft.
● New Moon,	23 9 52	23 9 47	23 9 41	23 9 10 mor.
☾ First Quar.	30 8 16	30 8 11	30 8 5	30 7 34 mor.

M	W	Miscellaneous.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's dec. n.	Sun south H. M. S.
D	D					
1	6	Jup. ri. 4 32 morn.	5 0	6 53	15°13'	11 56 55
2	7	Venus sets 8 9	4 59	6 54	15 31	11 56 48
3	D	♀ ♂ ♂	4 58	6 55	15 48	11 56 42
4	2	Alioth in Mer. 9 55.	4 57	6 56	16 6	11 56 35
5	3	Philadelphia Q. M.	4 56	6 57	16 23	11 56 30
6	4	♂ ♂ ♀	4 55	6 58	16 40	11 56 25
7	5	Abingtoo Q. M. at Hortham. S. lena Q. M. at Salem.	4 54	6 59	16 56	11 56 21
8	6	☾ in Apogee.	4 53	7 0	17 12	11 56 17
9	7	Day-break 3 5	4 52	7 1	17 28	11 56 13
10	D	Saturn sets 10 55	4 51	7 2	17 44	11 56 11
11	2	Philadelphia Y. M.	4 50	7 3	18 0	11 56 9
12	3	Spica so. 9 54 26 ☾	4 49	7 4	18 15	11 56 7
13	4	Sirius sets 8 15	4 48	7 5	18 30	11 56 6
14	5	Day's len. 14h. 12m.	4 47	7 6	18 44	11 56 6
15	6	Cuvier d. 1832.	4 46	7 7	18 58	11 56 6
16	7	♂ ♂ ☉	4 45	7 8	19 12	11 56 7
17	D	Talleyrand d. 1838.	4 44	7 9	19 26	11 56 8
18	2	Twilight ends 9 2	4 43	7 10	19 39	11 56 10
19	3	Spica so. 9 26 54	4 42	7 11	19 52	11 56 13
20	4	Venus ri. 3 50 morn.	4 42	7 12	20 4	11 56 16
21	5	♂ ♂ ☾	4 41	7 13	20 17	11 56 20
22	6	☾ in Perigee. ♀ ♂ ☾	4 40	7 14	20 29	11 56 24
23	7	♂ ♂ ☾	4 39	7 14	20 40	11 56 29
24	D	♂ ♂ ☾	4 39	7 15	20 51	11 56 34
25	2	New York Y. M. ☾	4 38	7 16	21 2	11 56 40
26	3	Burlington Q. M.	4 38	7 16	21 12	11 56 46
27	4	Southern Q. M.	4 37	7 17	21 23	11 56 53
28	5	Bucks, Q. M.	4 37	7 18	21 32	11 57 0
29	6	Pu-nam d. 1790.	4 36	7 18	21 42	11 57 7
30	7	♀ Stationary.	4 36	7 19	21 51	11 57 15
31	D	Arcturus so. 9 31 3	4 35	7 20	21 59	11 57 24

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	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.
	D	H. M.		H. M.	D	H. M.	° /	H. M.
♀ Venus	1	3 24	24 6 N	0 47	17	2 49	18 28 N	23 3
♂ Mars	5	3 24	18 52 N	0 31	21	4 11	21 29 N	0 15
♃ Jupiter	9	1 48	10 2 N	22 36	25	2 2	11 18 N	21 47
♄ Saturn	13	6 47	22 44 N	3 22	29	6 55	22 37 N	2 27

M	Pi.	Asc	Moon	Moon	H. W.	
D	°	°	Sets.	South	Phila.	
1	19	7	1 47	7 7	8 55	of the superstructure, whether
2	my	8	2 14	7 52	9 40	as displaying the skill of the
3	14	9	2 37	8 33	10 21	architect or builder, or whether
4	26	10	2 58	9 13	11 1	as fitted for a useful purpose,
5	11	11	3 18	9 52	11 40	is highly important. And so
6	20	12	3 37	10 32	0 20	in regard to spiritual things.
7	m	13	4 1	11 14	1 2	Then there is a great distinction
8	14	14	4 21	11 58	1 46	in different buildings. In physi-
9	26	15	rises.	morn.	2 22	cal buildings, you may have
10	1	16	9 5	0 44	2 56	wood, hay, straw and stubble,
11	20	17	10 4	1 34	3 46	and buildings of gold, silver,
12	13	18	10 57	2 26	4 38	and precious stones. So in
13	14	19	11 43	3 20	5 32	spiritual things, we may have
14	27	20	morn.	4 13	6 23	buildings illustrated by these
15	21	21	0 22	5 5	7 17	very particulars, as distant from
16	22	22	0 54	5 55	8 7	each other as those which are
17	23	23	1 21	6 43	8 55	physical. So that I may be
18	19	24	1 47	7 31	9 43	building here an edifice of wood,
19	25	25	2 10	8 18	10 30	hay, straw and stubble, or an
20	18	26	2 36	9 8	11 20	edifice of gold, silver and pre-
21	8	27	3 3	10 1	0 13	cious stones—all that is beau-
22	18	28	3 34	10 57	1 9	tiful. The matter must be
23	11	29	4 12	11 59	2 11	tested; the character of the
24	18	1	sets	aft.	3 4	building, as well as the nature
25	26	2	10 16	2 9	3 57	of the foundation, must be tried,
26	18	3	11 7	3 11	4 59	even as by fire. Just as with
27	2	4	11 44	4 9	5 57	physical buildings, fire is used
28	15	5	morn.	5 1	6 49	for testing, for sound wood will
29	28	6	0 16	5 48	7 36	stand the fire, while the bad
30	my	7	0 41	6 32	8 20	will pass away; so with our
31	23	8	1 3	7 13	9 1	spiritual buildings: we must
						be tried at last, as by fire.
						This is the test to be applied,
						and it shall be as stringent and

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	N. York.	Philada.	Baltimore	Cincinnati.
	D. H. M.	D. H. M.	D. H. M.	D. H. M.
○ Full Moon,	7 0 27	7 0 22	7 0 16	7 11 45 mor.
☾ Last Quar.	15 2 14	15 2 9	15 2 3	15 1 32 mor.
● New Moon,	21 5 7	21 5 2	21 4 56	21 4 25 aft.
☾ First Quar.	28 11 24	28 11 19	28 11 13	28 10 42 aft.

M	W		Sun	Sun	Sun's	Sun south.
D	D	Miscellanies.	rises.	sets.	dec. n.	H. M. s.
1	2	Canada H. Y. M.	4 35	7 20	22° 7'	11 57 33
2	3	♂ in Aphelion	4 34	7 21	22 15	11 57 42
3	4	Spica so. 8 27 56	4 34	7 21	22 23	11 57 52
4	5	☾ in Apogee.	4 34	7 22	22 30	11 58 2
5	6	Alioth on Mer. 7 51	4 33	7 23	22 36	11 58 12
6	7	J. Bentham d. 1832	4 33	7 23	22 42	11 58 22
7	D.	♂ ☉	4 33	7 24	22 48	11 58 33
8	2	Jackson died 1845	4 32	7 25	22 54	11 58 44
9	3	Arc. so. 8 55 40 ☾	4 32	7 25	22 59	11 58 56
10	4	Saturn sets 9 38	4 32	7 26	23 3	11 59 8
11	5	Haddonfield Q. M.	4 31	7 27	23 8	11 59 20
12	6	Day-break 2 29	4 31	7 27	23 12	11 59 32
13	7	♂ stationary.	4 31	7 28	23 15	11 59 44
14	D.	Twilight ends 9 32	4 31	7 28	23 18	11 59 57
15	2	Genesee Y. M.	4 31	7 29	23 21	12 0 9
16	3	♀ at greatest bril'cy	4 31	7 29	23 23	12 0 22
17	4	♂ ☾	4 32	7 29	23 25	12 0 35
18	5	Fish'g Cr. H. Y. M.	4 32	7 30	23 26	12 0 48
19	6	☾ in Perigee	4 32	7 30	23 27	12 1 1
20	7	Venus ri. 4 23 morn.	4 32	7 30	23 27	12 1 14
21	D.	☉ ent. ☽ Sum. com.	4 33	7 30	23 28	12 1 27
22	2	♂ ☉ (& lon. d.) ☾	4 33	7 30	23 27	12 1 40
23	3	♂ grt. Hel. Lat. S.	4 33	7 31	23 27	12 1 53
24	4	Arcturus so. 7 56 39	4 34	7 31	23 25	12 2 6
25	5	Day's len. 14h. 50m.	4 34	7 31	23 24	12 2 19
26	6	♂ gt. el. 21° 54' W.	4 34	7 31	23 22	12 2 32
27	7	Antares so. 9 56 2	4 35	7 31	23 20	12 2 44
28	D.	Jas. Madison d. 1836	4 35	7 31	23 17	12 2 57
29	2	♀ in Aphelion	4 35	7 31	23 14	12 3 9
30	3	☉ in Apogee	4 36	7 31	23 10	12 3 21



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	M	R.	A.	Declin.			P.	M.	M	R.	A.	Declin.			P.	M.
	D	H.	M.	°	'		H.	M.	D	H.	M.	°	'		H.	M.
Venus	1	2	37	14	12	N	21	55	17	2	58	13	45	N	21	14
Mars	5	4	55	23	9	N	0	0	21	5	43	24	3	N	23	44
Jupiter	9	2	14	12	22	N	21	1	25	2	27	13	21	N	20	10
Saturn	13	7	3	22	27	N	1	35	29	7	11	22	15	N	0	41

I	☿	♈	Moon	Moon	H.W.	as determinative in itself, as is
0			Rises.	South	Phila.	fire when applied to physical
1	♈	9	1 24	7 51	9 39	things. Of course it is not
2	17	10	1 42	8 31	10 20	literal fire; because you cannot
3	29	11	2 3	9 12	11 0	test spiritual things by a physi-
4	♊	12	2 25	9 55	11 43	cal process. But when we
5	23	13	2 50	10 41	0 29	stand before the judgment-seat
6	♈	14	3 22	11 30	1 18	of God, we shall be tried as by
7	17	15	rises.	morn.	1 56	fire, and thus the character of
8	29	16	8 53	0 22	2 34	the building will be determined.
9	♊	17	9 42	1 15	3 27	Then if you are built up with
0	24	18	10 21	2 9	4 21	gold, silver and precious stones;
1	♈	19	10 56	3 2	5 14	if I have been the means of
2	19	20	11 25	3 52	6 4	building you up a holy edifice
3	♈	21	11 51	4 40	6 52	to the Lord, instructing you in
4	16	22	morn.	5 27	7 39	all those things pertaining to
5	29	23	0 14	6 13	8 25	life and godliness; and if after
6	♊	24	0 38	7 0	9 12	the foundation has been laid,
7	28	25	1 1	7 49	10 1	you have become true believers,
8	8	26	1 30	8 42	10 54	and been abundant in all good
9	27	27	2 4	9 40	11 52	works, I shall attain a minis-
0	♈	28	2 47	10 43	0 55	terial reward, a crown, as the
1	27	29	3 41	11 48	2 0	apostle teaches, and you, in
2	♈	1	sets.	aft. 53	2 53	regard to the glory and happi-
3	26	2	9 40	1 54	3 42	ness of your everlasting state,
4	♊	3	10 15	2 50	4 38	will be proportionately recom-
5	23	4	10 41	3 40	5 28	pensed by grace. So, we see,
6	♈	5	11 5	4 26	6 14	the building is exceedingly im-
7	19	6	11 26	5 8	6 56	portant. But, at last, the ques-
8	♈	7	11 45	5 48	7 36	tion primarily is, that of the
9	14	8	morn.	6 28	8 16	foundation. Now, "other foun-
0	26	9	0 6	7 9	8 55	dation can no man lay, than
						that is laid, which is Christ

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	N. York.			Philada.			Baltimore			Cincinnati.		
	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.
○ Full Moon,	7	1	48	7	1	43	7	1	37	7	1	6 mor.
☾ Last Quar.	14	8	0	14	7	55	14	7	49	14	7	18 mor.
● New Moon,	21	1	16	21	1	11	21	1	5	21	0	34 mor.
☾ First Quar.	28	4	18	28	4	13	28	4	7	28	3	36 aft.

M	W	Miscellanies.	Sun	Sun	Sun's	Sun south		
D	D		rises.	sets.	dec. n.	H.	M.	S.
1	4	☾ in Apogee	4 36	7 30	23° 6	12	3	32
2	5	Day-break 2 33	4 37	7 30	23 2	12	3	44
3	6	♂ ☿ ♀	4 37	7 30	22 57	12	3	55
4	7	Antares so. 9 28 30	4 38	7 30	22 52	12	4	5
5	D.	Algiers taken 1830	4 39	7 29	22 46	12	4	16
6	2	Day's dec 8 m. ☾	4 39	7 29	22 40	12	4	26
7	3	Sheridan died 1816	4 40	7 29	22 34	12	4	35
8	4	Twilight ends 9 30	4 41	7 28	22 27	12	4	44
9	5	Z. Taylor died 1850	4 41	7 28	22 20	12	4	53
10	6	Mars ris. 3 57 morn.	4 42	7 28	22 13	12	5	2
11	7	Day's len. 14h. 38m.	4 43	7 27	22 5	12	5	10
12	D.	♀ in ♀	4 43	7 27	21 56	12	5	18
13	2	Antares so. 8 53 5	4 44	7 27	21 48	12	5	25
14	3	Spica sets 11 11	4 45	7 26	21 39	12	5	32
15	4	♂ ☿ ☾	4 46	7 26	21 29	12	5	38
16	5	♀ in Perihelion	4 46	7 25	21 19	12	5	44
17	6	☾ in Per. ♀ ☿ ☾	4 47	7 25	21 9	12	5	49
18	7	Hampden kill'd 1643	4 48	7 24	20 59	12	5	54
19	D.	♂ ☿ ☾ ☾	4 49	7 24	20 48	12	5	58
20	2	Venus ri. 1 45 mor.	4 49	7 23	20 37	12	6	2
21	3	Western Q M.	4 50	7 22	20 25	12	6	5
22	4	♀ grt. Hel. Lat. s.	4 51	7 22	20 13	12	6	8
23	5	Calu. Q. M.	4 52	7 21	20 1	12	6	10
24	6	♀ in Sup. ☿ ☾	4 53	7 20	19 48	12	6	12
25	7	B. Lundy's La. 1814	4 53	7 19	19 35	12	6	12
26	D.	Antares so. 8 2 3	4 54	7 18	19 22	12	6	13
27	2	♂ ☿ ♀	4 55	7 17	19 9	12	6	12
28	3	Concord Q. M.	4 56	7 16	18 55	12	6	11
29	4	☾ in Apogee	4 57	7 15	18 41	12	6	10
30	5	Wm. Penn d'd 1718	4 58	7 14	18 26	12	6	8
31	6	Vg. on Mer. 9 53 31	4 59	7 13	18 11	12	6	5

# SEVENTH MONTH, 1857.

## *Planets' places in Right Ascension and Declination.*

	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.
	D	H. M.	° /	H. M.	D	H. M.	° /	H. M.
♀ Venus	1	3 36	15 34 N	20 57	17 4 32	18 21 N	20 51	
♂ Mars	5	6 24	24 6 N	23 29	21 7 10	23 22 N	23 13	
♃ Jupiter	9	2 36	14 4 N	19 24	25 2 45	14 43 N	18 30	
♄ Saturn	13	7 19	22 2 N	23 51	29 7 28	21 46 N	22 56	

M	P.	Asc.	Moon	Moon	H. W.	Jesus."
D	U	U	Rises.	South	Phila.	"Behold, I lay in
1	♊	10	0 28	7 51	9 39	Zion, a corner stone, elect and
2	19	11	0 52	8 36	10 24	precious." Christ! What a
3	♈	12	1 21	9 24	11 12	name that is! There is an
4	13	13	1 55	10 15	0 3	efficacy, there is a power, there
5	25	14	2 39	11 9	0 57	certainly is a charm, there is
6	♊	15	rises.	morn.	1 36	something about that name, as
7	20	16	8 22	0 3	2 15	you would expect it must be,
8	♊	17	8 59	0 57	3 9	which stands quite alone! You
9	16	18	9 29	1 48	4 0	may name it, you may speak of
10	29	19	9 55	2 38	4 50	it, you may think of it all day,
11	♋	20	10 19	3 26	5 38	and you never seem to get at
12	26	21	10 43	4 12	6 24	the bottom of it.— <i>Molyneux</i> .
13	♋	22	11 6	4 58	7 10	
14	24	23	11 32	5 45	7 57	—
15	8	24	morn.	6 35	8 47	OBTAINING THE BLESSING.
16	22	25	0 2	7 29	9 41	—You need not go to the ex-
17	II	26	0 40	8 28	10 40	pedient of Jacob, to rob your
18	21	27	1 27	9 31	11 43	brother of the blessing, or to
19	♌	28	2 27	10 35	0 47	buy it. "Without money and
20	20	29	3 34	11 37	1 49	without price," Christ, the El-
21	♌	0	sets.	aft. 35	2 35	der brother, offers it to you.
22	18	1	8 40	1 28	3 16	You may have it in all its ful-
23	♍	2	9 5	2 16	4 4	ness. Then accept it. And if
24	15	3	9 28	3 1	4 49	you have it, let there be a
25	27	4	9 49	3 43	5 31	heavenly conversation, a high,
26	♎	5	10 9	4 24	6 12	holy, consistent, humble walk
27	22	6	10 31	5 5	6 53	—such a walk as shall give
28	♍	7	10 53	5 46	7 34	glory to God: no deceit, no sub-
29	15	8	11 20	6 30	8 18	terfuge, no duplicity of mind,
30	27	9	11 53	7 17	9 5	nothing resembling Jacob's con-
31	♈	10	morn.	8 7	9 55	duct. Remember our privileges.
						That is very important. One
						distinguishing feature in the
						character of the Saints of old

# EIGHTH MONTH, 1857.

## MOON'S PHASES.

	<i>N. York.</i>	<i>Philada.</i>	<i>Baltimore</i>	<i>Cincinnati.</i>
	D. H. M.	D. H. M.	D. H. M.	D. H. M.
○ Full Moon,	5 1 32	5 1 27	5 1 21	5 0 50 aft.
☾ Last Quar.	12 0 45	12 0 40	12 0 34	12 0 3 aft.
● New Moon,	19 11 30	19 11 25	19 11 19	19 10 48 mor.
☾ First Quar.	27 10 9	27 10 4	27 9 58	27 9 27 mor.

M D	W D	<i>Miscellanies.</i>	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Sun's dec. n.	Sun south. H. M. S.
1	7	Mercury sets 7 43	4 59	7 12	17°56'	12 6 1
2	D	Ant's so. 7 34 32 ☾	5 0	7 11	17 41	12 5 57
3	2	Columbus sail'd 1492	5 1	7 10	17 25	12 5 52
4	3	<i>Philadelphia Q. M.</i>	5 2	7 9	17 9	12 5 47
5	4	Day-break 3 15	5 3	7 8	16 53	12 5 41
6	5	<i>Abington Q. M.</i>	5 4	7 7	16 37	12 5 35
7	6	☿ ☐ ☉	5 5	7 6	16 20	12 5 28
8	7	☾'s dec. 0 40' S.	5 6	7 4	16 3	12 5 20
9	D	Days len. 13 h. 48m.	5 7	7 3	15 46	12 5 12
10	2	Saturn ri. 3 1 morn.	5 8	7 2	15 28	12 5 3
11	3	V'ga in Mer. 9 10 16	5 9	7 1	15 10	12 4 54
12	4	☾ in Perigee	5 10	6 59	14 52	12 4 44
13	5	<i>Salem Q. M.</i>	5 11	6 58	14 34	12 4 33
14	6	Twilight ends 8 40	5 12	6 57	14 16	12 4 23
15	7	Lafayette ar. 1824 ☾	5 13	6 55	13 57	12 4 11
16	D	☿ ☌ ☾	5 14	6 54	13 38	12 3 59
17	2	☿ ☌ ☾ and ☌ ☌ ☾	5 15	6 53	13 19	12 3 47
18	3	Fomalhaut rises 8 58	5 16	6 51	12 59	12 3 34
19	4	De Kalb d. 1780	5 17	6 50	12 40	12 3 20
20	5	Jupiter rises 10 7	5 18	6 49	12 20	12 3 6
21	6	☿ ☌ ☾	5 19	6 47	12 0	12 2 52
22	7	Venus ri. 1 54 morn.	5 20	6 46	11 40	12 2 37
23	D	Vega on Mer. 8 23 8	5 21	6 44	11 19	12 2 22
24	2	Altair so. 9 30 45	5 22	6 42	10 59	12 2 6
25	3	Jas. Watt d. 1819	5 23	6 41	10 38	12 1 50
26	4	<i>So. Q. M.</i> ☾ in Ap.	5 24	6 39	10 17	12 1 33
27	5	<i>Bucks Q. M.</i>	5 25	6 37	9 56	12 1 16
28	6	☿ ☌ ☌	5 26	6 36	9 35	12 0 59
29	7	☿ in Aphelion	5 27	6 35	9 14	12 0 41
30	D	Aldb'n rises 10 53 ☾	5 28	6 33	8 52	12 0 23
31	2	Ohio Y. M.	5 28	6 32	8 51	12 0 5



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## Planets' places in Right Ascension and Declination.

	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.
	D	H. M.	° /	H. M.	D	H. M.	° /	H. M.
♀ Venus	1	5 34	20 24 N	20 55	17	6 47	21 2 N	21 5
♂ Mars	5	7 52	21 57 N	22 55	21	8 35	19 47 N	22 35
♃ Jupiter	9	2 51	15 8 N	17 37	25	2 55	15 22 N	16 38
♄ Saturn	13	7 36	21 30 N	22 5	29	7 44	21 13 N	21 10

M	☾	☾	Moon	Moon	H. W.	was this, that they sought to compass right ends by wrong means. They did not seem to be particular as to the means. They did not see, that godly simplicity and integrity require us to be pure, even in the means, and to leave the end with God. They sought to compass the end at any rate. But in our case, we are temples of the Holy Ghost; we are supposed to be possessors of the Spirit of truth; and our conduct throughout ought to be as clear as the sun at noon-day. With results we have nothing to do. We must aim at right results and right ends, but by absolutely right means; and whether we can compass those ends or not, is a matter of no moment, provided the course we pursue is the course of duty which God approves. Let us never forget, that we are always safe, so long as we occupy the path of duty. As to the rest, let us leave it to God, casting all our care upon Him, and making it our simple object to glorify Him in each thing that we do.—Burgess.
D	☾	☾	Sets.	South	Phila.	
1	21	11	0 32	8 59	10 47	
2	☾	12	1 21	9 53	11 41	
3	16	13	2 17	10 48	0 36	
4	29	14	3 23	11 42	1 30	
5	☾	15	rises.	morn.	2 7	
6	25	16	7 57	0 32	2 44	
7	☾	17	8 23	1 21	3 33	
8	23	18	8 46	2 9	4 21	
9	☾	19	9 9	2 55	5 7	
10	21	20	9 36	3 43	5 55	
11	8	21	10 4	4 32	6 44	
12	19	22	10 39	5 25	7 37	
13	☾	23	11 22	6 21	8 33	
14	17	24	morn.	7 22	9 34	
15	☾	25	0 16	8 24	10 36	
16	16	26	1 20	9 25	11 37	
17	29	27	2 30	10 24	0 36	
18	☾	28	3 44	11 19	1 31	
19	27	29	sets.	aft.	9 2 9	
20	☾	1	7 31	0 54	2 42	
21	23	2	7 51	1 37	3 25	
22	☾	3	8 11	2 18	4 6	
23	17	4	8 33	2 59	4 47	
24	☾	5	8 55	3 41	5 29	
25	12	6	9 20	4 23	6 11	
26	23	7	9 50	5 9	6 57	
27	☾	8	10 26	5 58	7 46	
28	17	9	11 11	6 49	8 37	
29	29	10	morn.	7 42	9 30	
30	☾	11	0 4	8 36	10 24	
31	24	12	1 5	9 30	11 18	

# NINTH MONTH, 1857.

## MOON'S PHASES.

	<i>N. York.</i>			<i>Philada.</i>			<i>Baltimore</i>			<i>Cincinnati.</i>		
	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.
○ Full Moon,	4	0	11	4	0	6	4	0	0	3	11	29 aft.
☾ Last Quar.	10	5	54	10	5	49	10	5	43	10	5	12 aft.
● New Moon,	18	0	37	18	0	32	18	0	26	17	11	55 aft.
☾ First Quar.	26	4	3	26	3	58	26	3	52	26	3	21 mor.

M	W	<i>Miscellanies.</i>	Sun	Sun	Sun's	Sun south
D	D		rises.	sets.	dec. n.	H. M. s.
1	3	<i>Burlington Q. M.</i>	5 29	6 30	8° 9'	11 59 46
2	4	V'ga in Mer. 7 43 47	5 30	6 29	7 47	11 59 27
3	5	Cromwell d. 1658	5 31	6 27	7 25	11 59 7
4	6	☿ stationary	5 32	6 26	7 3	11 58 48
5	7	♂ gt. el. 26° 55' E	5 33	6 24	6 40	11 58 28
6	D	Lafayette born 1757	5 34	6 23	6 18	11 58 8
7	2	☾ in Perigee.	5 35	6 21	5 56	11 57 48
8	3	☿ ☌ ☾	5 35	6 19	5 33	11 57 27
9	4	♂ ☌ ☾	5 36	6 18	5 10	11 57 7
10	5	Mercury sets 7 0	5 37	6 16	4 48	11 56 46
11	6	Altair so. 8 20 2 ☾	5 38	6 14	4 25	11 56 25
12	7	W'f & Mont. d. 1759	5 39	6 13	4 2	11 56 4
13	D	☿ ☌ ☾	5 40	6 11	3 39	11 55 43
14	2	♀ ☌ ☾	5 41	6 9	3 16	11 55 22
15	3	♂ ☌ ☾	5 42	6 7	2 53	11 55 1
16	4	♀ in ♋	5 43	6 5	2 29	11 54 40
17	5	<i>Haddonfield Q. M.</i>	5 44	6 4	2 6	11 54 19
18	6	♂ stationary	5 45	6 2	1 43	11 53 58
19	7	♂ ☌ ☾	5 46	6 1	1 20	11 53 37
20	D	Jupiter rises 8 1	5 47	5 59	0 56	11 53 16
21	2	Days and nights eq'l	5 48	5 58	0 32	11 52 55
22	3	☉ ent. = Aut'n. com.	5 49	5 56	N 9	11 52 34
23	4	☾ in Apogee.	5 50	5 55	S 14	11 52 14
24	5	Altair so. 7 28 49	5 51	5 53	0 37	11 51 53
25	6	Venus ri. 2 50 morn.	5 52	5 52	1 1	11 51 33
26	7	Twilight ends 7 23 ☾	5 53	5 50	1 24	11 51 12
27	D	Fom'ht so. 10 22 32	5 54	5 48	1 48	11 50 52
28	2	<i>Indiana Y. M.</i>	5 55	5 47	2 11	11 50 32
29	3	Lord Nelson b. 1758	5 56	5 45	2 34	11 50 13
30	4	♀ ☌ ♂	5 57	5 44	2 58	11 49 53

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## Planets' places in Right Ascension and Declination.

	M. R. A.			Declin.			P. M. M			R. A.			Declin.			P. M.		
	D.	H.	M.	°	'		H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	°	'		H.	M.	D.	
♀ Venus	1	7	59	19	40	N	21	17	17	9	15	16	1	N	21	30		
♂ Mars	5	9	14	17	14	N	22	15	21	9	54	14	5	N	21	52		
♃ Jupiter	9	2	55	15	21	N	15	39	25	2	53	15	7	N	14	33		
♄ Saturn	13	7	50	20	58	N	20	17	29	7	55	20	45	N	19	20		

M	PI	CA	Moon	Moon	H. W.
D	°	'	Sets.	South	Phila.
1	♈	13	2 13	10 22	0 10
2	♈	21 14	2 34	11 12	1 0
3	♈	15	rises.	morn.	1 36
4	♈	18 16	6 49	0 1	2 13
5	♈	17 17	7 12	0 49	3 1
6	♈	17 18	7 37	1 37	3 49
7	♈	8 19	8 6	2 27	4 39
8	♈	16 20	8 39	3 20	5 32
9	♈	21 21	9 20	4 16	6 28
10	♈	14 22	10 11	5 16	7 28
11	♈	28 23	11 11	6 18	8 30
12	♈	24	morn.	7 19	9 31
13	♈	26 25	0 18	8 18	10 30
14	♈	26 26	1 31	9 13	11 25
15	♈	23 27	2 42	10 3	0 15
16	♈	28 28	3 51	10 49	1 1
17	♈	19 29	4 57	11 33	1 45
18	♈	0	sets.	aft. 14	2 14
19	♈	13 1	6 36	0 55	2 43
20	♈	26 2	6 57	1 36	3 24
21	♈	3 3	7 22	2 18	4 6
22	♈	20 4	7 50	3 4	4 52
23	♈	7 5	8 23	3 50	5 38
24	♈	13 6	9 3	4 40	6 28
25	♈	25 7	9 53	5 32	7 20
26	♈	23 8	10 50	6 26	8 14
27	♈	20 9	11 53	7 18	9 6
28	♈	15 10	morn.	8 10	9 58
29	♈	15 11	1 2	9 0	10 48
30	♈	28 12	2 12	9 49	11 37

## OCEAN PENNY POSTAGE.—

The Hon. Charles Sumner has recently moved in the U. S. Senate that all the memorials and petitions which have been presented to that body, be referred to its Postal Committee. This resolution was adopted, and we trust that ere long a report will be presented to the Senate in behalf of the request of the petitions. This great reform, though delayed by absorbing events in Europe and America, must ultimately be realized. As England and France, as it were, celebrated their alliance, by establishing an Ocean Penny Postage between the two countries, we hope England and the United States will signalize the settlement of their present difficulties by reducing the sea postage between them to one penny or two cents.

## THE N. AMERICAN FREE LABOR PRODUCE ASSOCIATION.

—At a meeting of the friends of Free Labor, held in the city of Philadelphia, 2d mo. (Feb.) 15th, 1856, it was agreed to or-

# TENTH MONTH, 1857.

## MOON'S PHASES.

		N. York.			Philada.			Baltimore			Cincinnati.		
		D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.
○	Full Moon,	3	10	13	3	10	8	3	10	2	3	9	31 mor.
☾	Last Quar.	10	0	57	10	0	52	10	0	46	10	0	15 mor.
●	New Moon,	17	4	42	17	4	37	17	4	31	17	4	0 aft.
☾	First Quar.	25	9	9	25	9	4	25	8	58	25	8	27 aft.

M	W		Sun	Sun	Sun's	Sun south
D	D	Miscellanies.	Rises	sets.	dec. s.	H. M. s.
1	5	Mars rises 2 56 mor.	5 58	5 42	3°21'	11 49 34
2	6	Areturus sets 8 36	5 59	5 40	3 44	11 49 15
3	7	Barelay died 1690	6 0	5 38	4 8	11 48 57
4	D	Day-break 4 28	6 1	5 37	4 31	11 48 38
5	2	☾ in Perigee	6 2	5 35	4 54	11 48 20
6	3	♂ ♂ ☾	6 3	5 34	5 17	11 48 3
7	4	Fomalh't so. 9 43 16	6 4	5 33	5 40	11 47 46
8	5	J. Hancock d. 1793	6 5	5 31	6 3	11 47 29
9	6	♀ Stationary ☾	6 6	5 30	6 26	11 47 13
10	7	Saturn rises 11 25	6 7	5 28	6 49	11 46 57
11	D	Markab so. 9 35 23	6 8	5 26	7 11	11 46 42
12	2	♀ in Perihelion.	6 9	5 24	7 34	11 46 27
13	3	Aldebaran rises 8 0	6 10	5 23	7 56	11 46 13
14	4	♂ ♂ ☾	6 11	5 21	8 19	11 45 59
15	5	♀ ♂ ☾	6 12	5 19	8 41	11 45 46
16	6	♀ grt. el. 18° 8' W.	6 13	5 18	9 3	11 45 34
17	7	Orion rises 9 37	6 14	5 16	9 25	11 45 22
18	D	♂ grt. Hel. Lat. N.	6 15	5 15	9 47	11 45 10
19	2	♀ in Perihelion	6 16	5 13	10 9	11 45 0
20	3	Western Q. M.	6 17	5 12	10 30	11 44 50
21	4	☾ in Apogee	6 18	5 11	10 52	11 44 41
22	5	Caln Q. M.	6 19	5 10	11 13	11 44 32
23	6	♀ g. Hel. Lat. N. ☾	6 20	5 8	11 34	11 44 24
24	7	Venus ri. 3 52 mor.	6 21	5 7	11 55	11 44 16
25	D	Twilight ends 6 38	6 22	5 6	12 16	11 44 9
26	2	Baltimore Y. M.	6 24	5 5	12 36	11 44 3
27	3	Concord Q. M.	6 25	5 3	12 57	11 43 58
28	4	Day's len. 10h. 28m.	6 26	5 2	13 17	11 43 54
29	5	Alho. on Mer. 10 14	6 27	5 1	13 37	11 43 50
30	6	Fomalh't so. 8 12 41	6 28	5 0	13 56	11 43 47
31	7	Markab. so. 8 16 36	6 29	4 59	14 16	11 43 44



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	M	R.	A.	Declin.			P.	M.	M	R.	A.	Declin.			P.	M.
	D	H.	M.	°	'		H.	M.	D	H.	M.	°	'		H.	M.
♀ Venus	1	10	21	11	12	N	21	41	17	11	34	4	22	N	21	51
♂ Mars	5	10	28	11	4	N	21	30	21	11	5	7	25	N	21	4
♃ Jupiter	9	2	48	14	44	N	13	33	25	2	40	14	9	N	12	23
♄ Saturn	13	7	59	20	36	N	18	28	29	8	1	20	31	N	17	28

M	D	☾	☾	Moon	Moon	H.W.	
				Sets.	South	Phila.	
1	☿	13	3	25	10	37	0 25
2	♈	14	4	38	11	26	1 14
3	♉	15	rises	morn.			1 50
4	♊	16	6	4	0	16	2 28
5	♋	17	6	36	1	10	3 22
6	♌	18	7	16	2	6	4 18
7	♍	19	8	4	3	6	5 18
8	♎	20	9	4	4	9	6 21
9	♏	21	10	14	5	13	7 25
10	♐	22	11	21	6	13	8 25
11	♑	23	morn.		7	9	9 21
12	♒	24	0	32	8	0	10 12
13	♓	25	1	41	8	47	10 59
14	♈	26	2	49	9	31	11 43
15	♉	27	3	53	10	12	0 24
16	♊	28	4	54	10	53	1 5
17	♋	29	5	57	11	34	1 46
18	♌	1	sets	aft.	15		2 15
19	♍	2	5	50	0	59	2 47
20	♎	3	6	22	1	45	3 33
21	♏	4	7	0	2	34	4 22
22	♐	5	7	46	3	25	5 13
23	♑	6	8	39	4	17	6 5
24	♒	7	9	38	5	9	6 57
25	♓	8	10	45	6	0	7 48
26	♈	9	11	52	6	49	8 37
27	♉	10	morn.		7	38	9 26
28	♊	11	1	2	8	25	10 13
29	♋	12	2	12	9	12	11 0
30	♌	13	3	24	10	1	11 49
31	♍	14	4	39	10	52	0 40

ganize a society with the above title, to encourage and extend the cultivation, collection, manufacture and consumption of Free Labor Cotton, Sugar, &c.

An Executive Committee, consisting of a Secretary, Treasurer, and twenty-four or more members, eitizens of different States, was appointed; some blanks being left to be filled.

This Committee is desirous of opening a eorrespondence with persons interested in the important objects of this Association.

Any person desirous of promoting these objects, may become a member of the Association, by paying an annual subscription of not less than one dollar.

It is hoped that a large number of members may be enrolled, and that contributions will be liberally afforded to aid the operations of the Assoeiation.

Commnuications and contributions may, until further notice, be addressed to Geo. W. Taylor, N. W. corner of Fifth and Cherry Streets, (P. O. Box 2170,) Philadelphia.

ROBERT B. HAINES, Sec'y.

# ELEVENTH MONTH, 1857.

## MOON'S PHASES.

		N. York.			Philada.			Baltimore			Cincinnati.		
		D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.
○	Full Moon,	1	8	1	1	7	56	1	7	50	1	7	19 aft.
☾	Last Quar.	8	11	18	8	11	13	8	11	7	8	10	36 mor.
●	New Moon,	16	10	58	16	10	53	16	10	47	16	10	16 mor.
☾	First Quar.	24	0	37	24	0	32	24	0	26	24	11	55 mor.

M	W	Miscellanies.	Sun	Sun	Sun's	Sun south.		
D	D		rises.	sets.	dec. s.	H.	M.	s.
1	D	Venus ri. 4 7 mor	6 31	4 57	14° 35'	11	43	43
2	2	☾ in Perigee	6 32	4 56	14 54	11	43	42
3	3	Philadel'ia Q. M.	6 33	4 55	15 13	11	43	42
4	4	Day-break 5 0	6 34	4 53	15 32	11	43	43
5	5	Abington Q. M. ☾	6 35	4 52	15 50	11	43	45
6	6	Fomal't so. 7 45 8	6 36	4 51	16 8	11	43	48
7	7	♂ ☾ ☾	6 38	4 50	16 26	11	43	51
8	D	Milton d. 1674	6 39	4 49	16 43	11	43	56
9	2	♂ stationary	6 40	4 48	17 0	11	44	1
10	3	Saturn rises 9 28	6 42	4 47	17 17	11	44	7
11	4	♂ ☾ ☾	6 43	4 46	17 34	11	44	14
12	5	Salem Q. M.	6 44	4 45	17 50	11	44	22
13	6	Mark'bso. 7 25 27	6 45	4 44	18 6	11	44	30
14	7	♀ ☾ ☾	6 46	4 44	18 22	11	44	40
15	D	Alio. on Mer. 9 12	6 47	4 43	18 37	11	44	50
16	2	♂ ☾ ☾	6 48	4 42	18 52	11	45	1
17	3	☾ in Apogee	6 49	4 42	19 7	11	45	13
18	4	Twil'ht ends 6 17	6 50	4 41	19 21	11	45	26
19	5	♂ in Sup. ☾ ☾ ☾	6 51	4 40	19 35	11	45	40
20	6	Jup. sets 5 17 mo.	6 53	4 40	19 49	11	45	55
21	7	♂ in Aphelion	6 54	4 39	20 2	11	46	10
22	D	Sirius rises 9 30	6 55	4 39	20 15	11	46	26
23	2	Vega sets 11 2	6 56	4 38	20 28	11	46	43
24	3	Z. Taylor b. 1784	6 57	4 38	20 40	11	47	1
25	4	Southern Q. M.	6 58	4 37	20 52	11	47	19
26	5	Bucks Q. M.	6 59	4 37	21 3	11	47	38
27	6	Days len. 9h 28m	7 0	4 36	21 14	11	47	58
28	7	Fog at Lond. 1840	7 1	4 36	21 24	11	48	18
29	D	♂ ☾ ☾	7 2	4 35	21 35	11	48	40
30	2	☾ in Perigee	7 3	4 35	21 44	11	49	1

# ELEVENTH MONTH, 1857.

## *Planets' places in Right Ascension and Declination.*

	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.
	D	H. M.	° '	H. M.	D	H. M.	° '	H. M.
♀ Venus	1	12 42	2 42 S	22 0	17	13 56	10 9 S	22 11
♂ Mars	5	11 38	3 54 N	20 38	21	12 13	0 10 N	20 10
♃ Jupiter	9	2 32	13 33 N	11 16	25	2 25	12 57 N	10 5
♄ Saturn	13	8 22	0 31 N	16 29	29	8 0	20 37 N	15 25

M	☾	☾	Moon	Moon	H. W.	ASIDE FROM THE MULTI- TUDÉ.—We read there, that when an afflicted man was brought to Jesus, He took him aside from the multitude, and touched his ears and his tongue, and so healed him. Now, this seems to teach us, that it is not in the throng that we are to know most of Christ, though we may first hear of him there. When "the whole earth was of one language, and of one speech," God was there, but His will was slighted, and so His people were divided; when the disciples were "with one accord in one place," God was there, and though for a time His people acted under the influence of his vivifying Spirit, yet they too were unhappily dispersed, after a while, and became subsequently divided and corrupted; but when Christ wrought his personal miracle on the individual, then the ear that once heard Him never for- got the gracious sound of His voice; the tongue that He once touched spoke nothing else than His praises. Go, then, brethren—go, if you will,
D	☾	☾	Sets.	South	Phila.	
1	8	15	5 57	11 48	1 36	
2	19	16	rises.	morn.	2 18	
3	☐	17	5 53	0 49	3 1	
4	20	18	6 51	1 53	4 5	
5	☿	19	7 58	3 0	5 12	
6	19	20	9 8	4 4	6 12	
7	♌	21	10 22	5 2	7 14	
8	16	22	11 33	5 56	8 8	
9	♊	23	morn.	6 45	8 57	
10	12	24	0 42	7 30	9 42	
11	25	25	1 45	8 12	10 24	
12	♈	26	2 46	8 52	11 4	
13	19	27	3 49	9 33	11 45	
14	♎	28	4 50	10 14	0 26	
15	13	29	5 50	10 56	1 8	
16	25	30	6 54	11 42	1 54	
17	♏	1	sets.	aft. 30	2 30	
18	19	2	5 43	1 21	3 9	
19	♊	3	6 34	2 12	4 0	
20	12	4	7 31	3 4	4 52	
21	25	5	8 35	3 54	5 42	
22	♊	6	9 40	4 44	6 32	
23	19	7	10 46	5 31	7 19	
24	♏	8	11 53	6 16	8 4	
25	15	9	morn.	7 2	8 50	
26	29	10	1 3	7 48	9 36	
27	♏	11	2 14	8 37	10 25	
28	27	12	3 28	9 29	11 17	
29	8	13	4 47	10 27	0 15	
30	27	14	6 9	11 30	1 18	



# TWELFTH MONTH, 1857.

## MOON'S PHASES.

		N. York.			Philada.			Baltimore			Cincinnati.		
		D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.	D.	H.	M.
○	Full Moon,	1	6	1	1	5	56	1	5	50	1	5	19 mor.
☾	Last Quar.,	8	1	42	8	1	37	8	1	31	8	1	0 mor.
●	New Moon,	16	6	5	16	6	0	16	5	54	16	5	23 mor.
☾	First Quar.	24	1	40	24	1	35	24	1	29	24	0	58 mor.
○	Full Moon,	30	4	37	30	4	32	30	4	26	30	3	55 aft.

M	W	Miscellanies.	Sun	Sun	Sun's	Sun south.
D.	D		rises.	sets.	dec. s.	H. M. s.
1	3	Burlington Q. M.	7 4	4 34	21°54	11 49 24
2	4	Tr'ty of Ghent 1814	7 5	4 34	22 3	11 49 47
3	5	Fom'lt so. 5 58 52 ☾	7 6	4 34	22 11	11 50 11
4	6	♄ ☾ ☾	7 7	4 34	22 19	11 50 35
5	7	Markab so. 5 58 51	7 8	4 33	22 27	11 51 0
6	D	Van Buren b. 1782	7 9	4 33	22 34	11 51 25
7	2	A. Sidney bh'd 1683	7 10	4 33	22 41	11 51 51
8	3	Day-break 5 32	7 11	4 33	22 47	11 52 18
9	4	Milton born 1608	7 12	4 33	22 53	11 52 45
10	5	Venus ri. 5 39 mor.	7 13	4 33	22 58	11 53 12
11	6	Days' len. 9h. 14m.	7 14	4 33	23 3	11 53 40
12	7	Saturn rises 7 17	7 15	4 34	23 8	11 54 8
13	D	Dr. Johnson d. 1784	7 15	4 34	23 12	11 54 37
14	2	☾ in Apogee ♀ ☾ ☾	7 16	4 34	23 16	11 55 6
15	3	Twilight ends 6 12	7 17	4 34	23 19	11 55 35
16	4	♄ grt. Hel. Lat. S.	7 17	4 35	23 21	11 56 4
17	5	Haddonfield Q. M. ☾	7 18	4 35	23 24	11 56 34
18	6	Alioth on Mer. 7 1	7 19	4 35	23 25	11 57 4
19	7	Sirius rises 7 42	7 19	4 36	23 26	11 57 34
20	D	Jupiter sets 3 6 mor.	7 20	4 36	23 27	11 58 4
21	2	☉ ent. ♄. win. com.	7 20	4 37	23 28	11 58 34
22	3	Shortest day	7 21	4 37	23 27	11 59 4
23	4	Venus ri. 6 9 morn.	7 21	4 38	23 27	11 59 34
24	5	Fish'g Cr. H. Y. M.	7 22	4 38	23 26	12 0 4
25	6	Christmas	7 22	4 39	23 24	12 0 34
26	7	♄ ☾ ☾	7 22	4 39	23 22	12 1 3
27	D	Cap. on Mr. 10 39 46	7 23	4 40	23 19	12 1 33
28	2	Aldeb'n so. 9 57 28	7 23	4 41	23 16	12 2 2
29	3	☾ in Perigee	7 23	4 41	23 13	12 2 31
30	4	♄ g. el. 19° 30' E. ☾	7 24	4 42	23 9	12 3 0
31	5	☉ in Perigee	7 24	4 43	23 5	12 3 29



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	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.	M	R. A.	Declin.	P. M.
	D	H. M.	° ' "	H. M.	D	H. M.	° ' "	H. M.
♀ Venus	1	15 4	15 56 S	22 24	17	16 26	20 53 S	22 43
♂ Mars	5	12 44	3 2 S	19 45	21	13 17	6 29 S	19 16
♃ Jupiter	9	2 20	12 36 N	9 5	25	2 16	12 25 N	7 59
♄ Saturn	13	7 58	20 46 N	14 27	29	7 53	21 0 N	13 19

M	☾	☾	Moon	Moon	H. W.	
D			Sets.	South	Phila.	to the throng where knowledge,
1	☾	15	4 31	morn.	2 3	science, sympathy, patriotism
2	☾	16	5 36	0 37	2 49	loyalty, friendship invite you t
3	☾	17	6 47	1 44	3 56	Christ is there; but it is no
4	☾	18	8 3	2 47	4 59	there you are to expect most
5	☾	19	9 20	3 46	5 58	of His winning, His soul heal-
6	☾	20	10 30	4 39	6 51	ing influences. If you learn
7	☾	21	11 36	5 26	7 38	of Him there, go from the
8	☾	22	morn.	6 10	8 22	multitude to learn more of Him;
9	☾	23	0 40	6 51	9 3	let him take you aside and
10	☾	24	1 42	7 32	9 44	teach you of Himself. Ah!
11	☾	25	2 43	8 13	10 25	brethren, hath He not called
12	☾	26	3 44	8 55	11 7	us here—here, apart from
13	☾	27	4 46	9 40	11 52	worldly stimulus and human
14	☾	28	5 48	10 26	0 38	excitements? We ought surely
15	☾	29	6 50	11 17	1 29	to feel like Jacob at Beth-el,
16	☾	0	sets.	aft. 8	2 8	and cry with him, "This is
17	☾	1	5 26	1 0	2 48	none other than the house of
18	☾	2	6 28	1 51	3 39	God, this is the gate of Heaven."
19	☾	3	7 32	2 41	4 29	Oh! may the Son of God make
20	☾	4	8 39	3 29	5 17	it so to us! May we each and
21	☾	5	9 45	4 14	6 2	all depart to our homes, im-
22	☾	6	10 52	4 58	6 46	pressed with a sense of His
23	☾	7	11 59	5 42	7 30	living power, and enabled under
24	☾	8	morn.	6 28	8 16	His gracious influence hereafter
25	☾	9	1 9	7 17	9 5	to hear his promises more joy-
26	☾	10	2 23	8 10	9 58	fully, and with tongues touched
27	☾	11	3 41	9 8	10 56	by Him speak forth his praises
28	☾	12	5 0	10 11	11 59	boldly to our brethren in the
29	☾	13	6 18	11 19	1 7	world! "Open our lips, O Lord,
30	☾	14	rises.	morn.	1 52	and let our mouths and our
31	☾	15	5 36	0 25	2 37	lives show forth thy praise!"—

*Mackenzie.*

## YEARLY MEETINGS OF FRIENDS IN THE UNITED STATES.

PHILADELPHIA, 2d-day after second 1st-day in 5th mo., 10 o'clock.

NEW YORK, 2d-day after fourth 1st-day in 5th mo., 10 o'clock.

GENESEE, at Farmington, 2d-day after second 1st-day in 6th mo. 11 o'clock.

OHIO, at Mt. Pleasant, 2d-day before first 1st-day in 9th mo.

INDIANA, 2d-day after last 1st-day in 9th mo., at Waynesville, 1856 Richmond, 1857, &c.

BALTIMORE, last 2d-day in 10th mo.

☞ Meetings of Ministers and Elders on 7th-day preceding each of the yearly meetings.

## PHILADELPHIA YEARLY MEETING.

PHILADELPHIA QUARTERLY MEETING, 3d-day after first 1st-day in 2d, 5th, and 11th mos., at Philadelphia; and 8th mo. at Radnor. Ministers and elders day before, at 3 P. M.

*Philadelphia m. m.*, Cherry street, 4th before last 6th-day but one in the mo., comp. of Cherry street 4th-day; West Philadelphia (indulged) 1st-day morning.\*

*Green street m. m.*, 5th before last 6th-day but one in the mo. composed of Green street, Frankford, and Germantown,† 5th-days.

*Spruce street m. m.*, last 6th-day but one, other meetings 5th-day except Mo. Mtg. week.

*Radnor m. m.*, second 5th-day; Radnor, Haverford, Marion, Charleston, Schuylkill, 5th-days, Valley 4th-day; at 10 s., 11 w.

*Exeter m. m.*, at Maiden Creek last 4th-day; Maiden Creek and Reading, 4th-days: all at 10.

ABINGTON QUARTERLY MEETING, 5th-day after first 2d-day, at 10 o'clock; at Abington 2d mo.; Gwynedd 8th mo.; Horsham 5th and 11th mos. Ministers and elders day before, at 11.

*Abington monthly meeting*, last 2d-day, at 10 o'clock. Abington 5th-day, 10 o'clock.

*Byberry m. m.*, 3d after last 2d-day, Byberry 5th-day, at 10 o'clock.

*Horsham m. m.*, 4th-day after last 2d-day; Horsham 5th-day Upper Dublin 4th-day: all at 10 o'clock. Warminster 5th-day.

\* All Philadelphia meetings begin at 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. summer 3 P. M. winter, except Cherry street 7½ P. M. Summer from 1st of 4th to 1st of 10th mo.; winter from 1st of 10th to 1st of 4th mo.

† There is no meeting for worship at Germantown the week of Frankford preparative and Green street monthly meetings.

*Gwynedd m. m.*, 5th-day after last 2d-day; Plymouth odd mos.; Gwynedd even mos.; Gwynedd 3d-day; Plymouth, Providence, and Norristown indulged,\* 5th-days: all at 10 o'clock.

*Richland m. m.*, 6th-day after last 2d-day; Richland 5th-day; Stroudsburg 5th, 10 s., 11 w.

**BUCKS QUARTERLY MEETING**, last 5th-day, at Wrightstown 2d mo.; Buckingham 5th, Falls 8th, and Middletown 11th mo. Ministers and elders day before: both at 10 o'clock.

*Buckingham m. m.*, first 2d-day at Plumstead, 1st mo.; Buckingham 2d, alternately; Buckingham 4th-day; Plumstead 5th-day; Doylestown 1st-day, all at 10 o'clock.

*Solebury m. m.*, 3d after first 2d-day; Solebury 5th-day; at 10.

*Wrightstown m. m.*, 4th after first 2d-day; Wrightstown 4th-day, at 10 s., 11 w.

*Makefield m. m.*, 5th after first 2d-day; Makefield 1st mo.; Newtown 2d, alternately, at 11; Makefield and Newtown 5th-days, at 10 s., 11 w.

*Middletown m. m.*, 6th after first 2d-day; Middletown 5th-day, 10 o'clock; Bristol 4th; at 10 s., 11 w.

*Falls m. m.*, 7th after first 2d-day; Falls 4th-day, Pennsbury 5th: all at 10 o'clock.

*Kingwood m. m.*, 7th before first 2d-day; Kingwood 5th day; 10 s., 11 w.

**CONCORD QUARTERLY MEETING**, 3d after last 1st-day; Concord 1st and 7th mos.; Wilmington 4th, and Darby 10th mo.; all at 10 o'clock. Ministers and elders day before, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

*Chester m. m.*, 2d-day before last 1st-day, at Providence; composed of Chester 4th-day, at 10 s., 11 w., Providence 5th-day, Middletown 5th-day, at 11 o'clock.

*Darby m. m.*, 3d before last 1st-day; Darby 5th-day; both at 10 o'clock.

*Goshen m. m.*, 4th before last 1st-day, at Willistown; Goshen 4th-day, Newtown 4th, Willistown 5th, Whiteland 4th: all at 10 s., 11 w.

*Concord m. m.*, 5th before last 1st-day; Concord 4th day, Chichester 5th: at 10 s., 11 w.

*Wilmington m. m.*, 6th before last 1st-day; Wilmington 5th-day, at 10 o'clock, Stanton 5th, 10 s., 11 w.

*Birmingham m. m.*, at West Chester 7th before last 1st-day: Birmingham 5th-day; West Chester 4th: all at 10 o'clock.

**CALN QUARTERLY MEETING**, 5th before last 1st-day, at East Caln 1st and 7th mos.; Sadsbury 4th and 10th mos.; all at 11 o'clock. Ministers and elders day before, at 2 P. M.

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\* There is no meeting at Norristown, quarterly, monthly, and preparative meeting days.



*Uwehlan m. m.*, first 2d-day, at Kimberton, in 1st mo.; Uwehlan 2d mo. alternately; Kimberton 4th-day, Uwehlan 5th, 10 s., 11 w.

*Bradford m. m.*, 3d after first 2d-day: at East Caln 1st mo., Bradford 2d, &c.; Bradford 4th-day, East Caln 4th: all at 11 o'clock: except Caln, 10 s.

*Sadsbury m. m.*, 4th after first 2d-day; Bart, 1st mo., Sadsbury 2d, &c., Bart 5th-day, 10 s., 11 w.; Columbia 4th, at 11 o'clock.

**WESTERN QUARTERLY MEETING** at London Grove, 3d before last 1st-day; 1st, 4th, 7th, and 10th mos. at 10 o'clock. Ministers and elders day before, at 11.

*Centre m. m.*, 2d-day after first 1st-day, at Hockessin, in 1st mo., Centre 2d, &c.; Centre 5th-day, Hockessin 5th: all at 10 s., 11 w.

*Kennet m. m.*, 3d-day after first 1st-day, at Kennet Square, 1st mo.; Kennet 2d, Marlborough 3d, alternately; Kennet Square 5th-day, Marlborough 4th; Kennet 5th, Unionville 5th, 10 s., 11 w.

*London Grove m. m.*, 4th after first 1st-day, at 10 s., 11 w. London Grove 4th-day.

*New Garden m. m.*, 5th after first 1st-day; New Garden 1st mo., Mill Creek 2d, West Grove 3d, &c.; New Garden 5th-day, West Grove 5th, Mill Creek 5th: all at 10 s., 11 w.

*Fallowfield m. m.*, 7th after first 1st-day; Doe Run 1st mo., Fallowfield 2d; Fallowfield 5th-day, Doe Run 4th; 10 s., 11 w.

*Penn's Grove m. m.*, 6th after first 1st-day; at Oxford 1st mo., Penn's Grove 2d, &c.; both on 5th-day, at 10 o'clock.

**SOUTHERN QUARTERLY MEETING**, 4th after fourth 1st-day, at Little Creek 2d and 11th mos.; Third-haven 5th and 8th mos. Ministers and elders day before; meeting for worship day after: all meetings in this quarter at 11 o'clock.

*Camden m. m.*, 2d after second 1st-day, at Camden 1st mo.; Little Creek 2d, alternately; Apoquinimink 5th-day, Smyrna 4th, Little Creek 5th, Camden 4th-day.

*North West Fork m. m.*, 4th after second 1st-day; at Pine Grove 1st mo., Marshy Creek 2d, &c.; Pine Grove 5th-day, Centre 4th, Snow Hill 4th.

*Third-haven m. m.*, 5th after second 1st-day; Third-haven 5th-day, Neck 4th.

*Cecil m. m.*, 7th after second 1st-day; Chester in 1st mo., Cecil 2d, &c.; Cecil 4th-day, Chester 5th.

**BURLINGTON QUARTERLY MEETING**, 3d after last 2d-day; at Mt. Holly 2d mo., Crosswicks 5th, &c., at 10 o'clock. Ministers and elders day before, at 10 o'clock.

*Burlington m. m.*, first 2d-day; at Old Springfield 1st mo., Ran-



cocas 2d, &c.; Rancocas 5th-day, Old Springfield 5th; Burlington 4th: all at 10 o'clock.\*

*Chesterfield m. m.*, at Crosswicks, 3d after first 2d-day; Chesterfield 5th-day (Stony Brook 5th), Trenton 5th, East Branch 5th, Bordentown 4th: all at 10 o'clock.

*Upper Springfield m. m.*, 4th after first 2d-day; Upper Springfield 4th-day, Mansfield 4th, Upper Freehold 5th: all at 10 o'clock.

*Mt. Holly m. m.*, 5th after first 2d-day; Mt. Holly 5th-day; Mount 5th; Vincenttown 1st-day only: all at 10 o'clock.

HADDONFIELD QUARTERLY MEETING, 5th after second 2d-day; at Moorestown 3d mo., Medford 6th, Evesham 9th, Haddonfield 12th: all at 10. Ministers and elders, each place, day before, at 11 o'clock.

*Chester m. m.*, at Moorestown, 5th after first 2d-day; Westfield 5th-day, Moorestown 5th; all at 10 o'clock.

*Evesham m. m.*, 3d after first 2d-day; Evesham 5th; both at 10 o'clock. Easton, 1st-days, 10 o'clock.

*Medford m. m.*, 6th after first 2d-day; Medford 5th-day: both at 10 o'clock.

*Haddonfield m. m.*, 4th after first 2d-day; at Camden 1st mo., Haddonfield 2d, &c., Camden 5th-day, Haddonfield 5th: all at 10 o'clock.

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING, 5th after second 2d-day, at Woodstown, 2d and 8th mos.: Woodbury 11th mo.; at Salem 5th after first 1st-day, in 5th mo.; all at 10 o'clock. Minister and elders day before, at 2½ P. M.

*Woodbury m. m.*, last 2d-day; Upper Greenwich 1st mo., Woodbury 2d mo., &c.; Woodbury 5th-day, Upper Greenwich 5th: all at 10 s., 11 w.

*Piles Grove m. m.*, 3d after last 2d-day; Piles Grove 5th-day, Upper Penn Neck 5th, at 10; Woolwich 4th, at 10 s., 11 w.

*Salem m. m.*, 4th after last 2d-day; Salem 4th-day: both at 10.

*Greenwich m. m.*, 5th after last 2d-day; at Greenwich 1st mo., Alloway's Creek 2d, &c.: Greenwich 4th-day, Alloway's Creek 5th, Maurice River 5th-day; all at 10. Cape May 5th-day, at 11.

FISHING CREEK HALF-YEAR MEETING, 5th after last 4th-day but one in 6th and 12th mos. Ministers and elders day before; at 5½ o'clock P. M.

*Roaring Creek m. m.*, last 4th-day but two; at Roaring Creek 1st mo., Cattawissa 2d, Bewick 3d, Shamokin 4th, &c.; Roaring Creek 4th-day, Bewick 5th, Shamokin 5th: all 10 s., 11 w.

*Fishing Creek m. m.*, at Millville last 4th-day but one; Fishing Creek 4th-day, at 10 s., 11 w.

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\* No mid-week meeting at Burlington week of monthly meeting.

## NEW YORK YEARLY MEETING.

WESTBURY QUARTERLY MEETING, 5th before last 1st-day; at New York 1st mo., Westbury 4th and 7th mos., Flushing 10th mo. Ministers and elders day before at 3 o'clock.

*New York m. m.*, first 4th-day; Southern District 4th-day, Western 4th, and Northern 5th, Brooklyn 5th, all at 10½ o'clock; Westchester 4th 11 o'clock.

*Flushing m. m.*, first 5th-day; Flushing 5th-day.

*Westbury m. m.*, 4th before third 5th-day; at Westbury, except 2d, 5th, 8th, and 11th mos.; at Matinicoek; Westbury 4th-day, Cowneck 5th, Matinicoek 5th: all at 11 o'clock.

*Jericho m. m.*, third 5th-day; Jerieho 5th-day, Bethpage 4th, Jerusalem 5th: all at 11 o'clock.

*Cornwall m. m.*, fourth 5th-day; at Cornwall 1st mo., Smith's Clove 2d, &c.: one week earlier 1st, 4th, 7th, and 10th mos.: all at 11 o'clock: Cornwall 5th-day, Clove 4th, Blooming Grove 5th, Kakiat 1st-day only.

*Plains m. m.*, fourth 3d-day; at Paltz 1st mo., Greenfield 2d, Little Esopus 3d, &c.; Paltz 5th-day, Greenfield 5th, Little Esopus 5th, Neversink (indulged), 1st-day.

PURCHASE QUARTERLY MEETING, 4th before first 1st-day; at Purchase 2d and 8th mos., Shapagua 5th and 11th mos. Ministers and elders day before, at 2 P. M. All meetings in this quarter begin at 11 o'clock.

*Purchase m. m.*, 4th before second 5th-day; at Purchase 1st mo., Mamaroneek 2d, &c.; Purchase 4th-day, Mamaroneek 5th, Middlesex 5th.

*Shapagua m. m.*, second 5th-day; North Castle 5th and 9th mos.; Shapagua other months. Shapagua 5th-day, North Castle 4th, Croton Valley 4th.

*Amawalk m. m.*, 6th after second 5th-day; Amawalk 4th-day, Salem 5th, Croton 5th, Peekskill 4th.

NINE PARTNERS QUARTERLY MEETING, 3d before second 1st-day, in 2d, 5th, and 11th mos., at Nine Partners; Oblong in 8th mo. Ministers and elders day before.

*Nine Partners m. m.*, third 5th-day; Nine Partners 5th-day, Chestnut Ridge 4th, Cannan 1st-day only.

*Oblong m. m.*, 2d-day after second 5th-day; at Valley 4th, 8th, and 12th mos. Oblong 4th-day, Branch 5th, Valley 5th.

*Oswego m. m.*, 4th after second 5th-day; Oswego 1st mo., Poughkeepsie 2d, &c.; Oswego 4th-day, Apoquague 5th, West Branch 5th, Pleasant Valley 4th, Poughkeepsie 5th.

**STANFORD QUARTERLY MEETING**, 6th before second 1st-day; at Stanford 2d mo., Creek 5th, Hudson 8th, Chatham 11th. Ministers and elders day before, at 11; except Hudson at 4 o'clock.

*Stanford m. m.*, third 7th-day; Stanford 5th-day; Little Nine Partners 4th.

*Creek m. m.*, third 6th-day; at Creek 1st mo., Crum Elbow 2d, &c.; Creek 4th-day, Crum Elbow 5th.

*Hudson m. m.*, 3d after third 1st-day; at Hudson 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 11th, and 12th mos.; Ghent 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th; Athens 9th and 10th mos.; Hudson 5th-day, Ghent 4th, Athens 4th; all at 11 o'clock.

*Chatham m. m.*, fourth 5th-day; Chatham 5th day.

**EASTON QUARTERLY MEETING**, 4th after third 1st-day in 5th mo., and 4th after second 1st-day in 2d and 11th mos., at Easton; and 4th after fourth 1st-day in 8th mo. at Granville in 1857, and Danby 1858, alternately. Ministers and elders day before at 2 o'clock.

*Easton m. m.*, fifth before third 1st-day; one week later in Q. M. week; Easton 5th-day, White Creek 4th.

*Danby m. m.*, 5th before second 1st-day; at Granville 4th and 10th mos.; at Danby the others; Danby 5th-day, Granville 4th.

*Troy m. m.*, 4th before second 1st-day, at Pittstown 1st mo.; Troy 2d, &c. Troy 4th-day, White Creek 4th, Pittstown 5th.

*Ferrisburgh m. m.*, 4th before first 1st-day; Ferrisburgh 5th-day.

**SARATOGA QUARTERLY MEETING**, 4th before fourth 1st-day; at Queensbury 2d mo., Saratoga 5th and 11th, Queensbury 2d and 8th mos.: one week earlier 5th month.

*Saratoga m. m.*, 4th before second 1st-day; Saratoga 4th-day.

*Queensbury m. m.*, 5th before second 1st-day; Queensbury 5th-day.

*Peru m. m.*, 5th before last 1st-day; Peru 5th-day.

*Galway m. m.*, 5th after first 1st-day: at Galway 2d, 5th, 8th, and 11th mos.: Greenfield 1st, 4th, 7th, and 10th mos.; and Milton 3d, 6th, 9th, and 12th mos.

**DUANESBURGH QUARTERLY MEETING**, 5th before third 1st-day; Coeymans in 2d and 5th mos., one week later in 5th, two in 8th mos.; Rensselaerville 8th mo., Duanesburgh 11th mo.

*Coeymans m. m.*, 4th before fourth 5th-day: at Coeymans 1st mo., New Baltimore 2d, &c.; Coeymans 4th-day, New Baltimore 5th-day.

*Duanesburgh m. m.*, 7th after fourth 5th-day, Duanesburgh 5th-day, Charleston 4th.

*Albany m. m.*, 7th-day after Duanesburgh m. m.; Albany 5th-day, New Scotland 4th-day.

*Rensselaerville m. m.*, fourth 5th-day; Rensselaerville 4th-day, Bern 5th, Oak Hill 4th, Middlebury 4th.

*Laurens m. m.*, 4th after fourth 5th-day; at Laurens 1st mo.,



Maryland 2d, &c. ; Laurens 4th-day, Maryland 5th-day, Harpersfield indulged : all the above meetings at 11 o'clock.

SHREWSBURY AND RAHWAY QUARTERLY MEETING, 5th before third 1st-day ; at Plainfield in 2d and 11th mos., Shrewsbury 4th before third 1st-day in 5th mo., at 11 o'clock ; Rahway 8th mo., at 11. Ministers and elders day preceding, except at Shrewsbury.

*Shrewsbury m. m.*, first 2d-day at 11 o'clock ; Shrewsbury 5th-day, Squan 4th.

*Rahway and Plainfield m. m.*, third 5th-day, at Rahway, in 1st mo. ; and third 4th-day at Plainfield, in 2d mo., &c. ; Rahway 5th-day at 10 ; Plainfield 4th-day, at 11 o'clock.

*Hardwich and Randolph m. m.*, first 5th-day in 1st and 2d mos. at Hardwich ; 3d mo. at Randolph, &c. ; Randolph 5th-day, Hardwich 4th-day : all at 11 o'clock.

## GENESEE YEARLY MEETING.\*

FARMINGTON QUARTERLY MEETING, first 4th-day ; at Farmington 1st month, at Mendon 4th and 10th month, at Hamburg 7th month. Ministers and elders day before at 2 o'clock P. M.

*Farmington m. m.*, 5th before last 1st-day ; at Macedon, 1st, 4th, 7th, and 10th months, at Farmington other months. Farmington 5th, Macedon 4th, Farmington South 4th.

*E. Hamburg m. m.*, last 5th-day ; at Collins in 2d and 8th mos., Boston 5th and 11th, and East Hamburg the others. East Hamburg 5th-day, Collins 4th, Boston 4th. Orangeville indulged 1st-day.

*Junius m. m.*, 5th before last 1st day, at Galen. Galen 5th.

*Rochester m. m.*, 6th before last 1st-day. At Mendon in 7th month, at Rochester in 8th month, and at Wheatland in 9th mo., &c. Mendon 5th, Rochester 4th, Wheatland 5th. Indulged meeting at Lockport on 1st-day.

SCIPIO QUARTERLY MEETING, second 4th-day ; at Scipio, 1st, 4th, and 10th months, and at Deruyter in 7th month.

*Scipio m. m.*, 5th before two last 1st-days ; at Union Springs in 2d, 5th, 8th, and 11th months, at Scipio other months. Scipio 5th, North Street 4th, Union Springs 5th, Friendsville 5th. At Skaneateles no meeting middle of the week, except on week preparative meeting. Fairport and Victory indulged 1st-days.

*Deruyter m. m.*, last 4th-day. Deruyter 4th.

*Verona m. m.*, 6th after fourth 5th-day. Verona 5th-day.

CANADA HALF-YEAR MEETING, 2d after last 1st-day ; at West Lake

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\* All the Meetings in Genesee Yearly Meeting begin at 11 o'clock.



in 5th mo., and Yonge Street in 9th month. Ministers and elders 7th-day before.

*Yonge Street m. m.*, 5th after second 1st-day; Yonge Street 1st month, White Church 2d, King 3d month, &c. Yonge Street 5th, White Church 4th, King 4th.

*Pickering m. m.*, 5th after 3d 1st-day; at Uxbridge in 3d, 7th, and 12th months, at Pickering other months.

*West Lake m. m.*, 4th before third 5th-day; at Green Point in 3d, 8th, and 11th months, at West Lake the other months. West Lake 4th, Green Point 4th.

PELHAM HALF-YEAR MEETING, at Pelham second 4th-day in 2d month, at Yarmouth third 4th-day in 8th month.

*Pelham m. m.*, first 4th-day, alternately at Pelham and Black Creek; Black Creek 1st month, Pelham 2d month, &c. Pelham 4th, Black Creek 5th.

*Norwich m. m.*, second 4th-day. Yarmouth 1st mo., Malehide 2d mo., Norwich 3d mo., &c. Lobo meeting indulged on 1st-days.

*Battle Creek m. m.* (last 4th-day); held only once in two months, alternately at Battle Creek and Adrian.—At Adrian 1st, 5th, and 9th months; Battle Creek 3d, 7th, and 11th months.

## OHIO YEARLY MEETING.

REDSTONE QUARTERLY MEETING, first 7th-day; at Redstone 2d mo., Westland 8th mo., &c.

*Redstone m. m.*, 4th before first 7th-day; Redstone 4th-day.

*Westland m. m.*, 5th before last 1st-day; Westland 5th-day, Pike Run 4th, Head of Wheeling 4th.

SHORT CREEK QUARTERLY MEETING, third 7th-day in 2d, 5th, 8th, and 11th mos. Ministers and elders day before, at 12 o'clock.

*Short Creek m. m.*, 5th after third 7th-day in 1st, 3d, 5th, 9th, and 11th mos., at Harrisville; rest at Short Creek; Short Creek 4th-day, Harrisville 4th, West Grove 4th.

*Concord m. m.*, 4th after third 7th-day; Concord 4th-day.

*Smithfield m. m.*, 3d after third 7th-day; Smithfield 4th-day.

*Flushing m. m.*, fourth 7th-day; 1st mo. at Hopewell, 2d mo. at Flushing, 3d mo. at Freeport, &c.; Flushing 5th-day, Freeport 4th, Bushyfork 5th.

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING, second 7th-day; at Columbiana 2d mo.; Beaver Falls 11th mo., and Salem 5th and 8th mos. Ministers and elders day before.

*Salem m. m.*, 5th after third 7th-day; Salem 5th-day.

*Middletown m. m.*, 5th before third 7th-day, at Columbiana; Middletown 5th-day, Columbiana 5th.

*Carmel m. m.*, third 7th-day; Carmel 5th-day.

*Beaver Falls m. m.*, 3d before third 7th-day, at New Brighton; Beaver Falls 4th-day.

STILLWATER QUARTERLY MEETING, 4th before fourth 7th-day; 2d and 8th mos. at Stillwater; 5th and 11th mos. at Plainfield. Ministers and elders day before, at 2.

*Stillwater m. m.*, third 7th-day; Somerton 1st mo., Stillwater 2d, &c.; Stillwater 5th-day, Somerton 4th, Richmond 4th, Centre 5th, Sunbury 5th.

*Plainfield m. m.*, 5th after second 7th-day; Plainfield 5th-day, Goshen 4th, St. Clairsville 4th.

*Deerfield m. m.*, 4th after second 7th-day; Deerfield 4th-day, Westland 5th.

WESTERN QUARTERLY MEETING, 3d after second 7th-day, in 2d and 8th mos. at West; 5th and 11th mos. at Deer Creek.

*New Garden m. m.*, 5th after third 7th-day; New Garden 5th-day, New Lisbon 4th, Sandy Spring 4th, Grove 4th.

*Marlborough m. m.*, fourth 7th-day; Marlborough 5th-day.

*Deer Creek m. m.*, 4th before fourth 7th-day; Deer Creek 4th-day.

*West m. m.*, 6th before fourth 7th-day; West 5th, Cope's Run 4th-day.

## INDIANA YEARLY MEETING.

MIAMA QUARTERLY MEETING, second 7th-day, in 2d, 5th, 8th, and 11th mos. at Waynesville.

*Miama m. m.*, 4th before last 1st-day; Miama 4th-day, at 11 o'clock; Grove 4th-day, Hopewell 5th, Salt Run 4th.

*Springborough m. m.*, 5th before last 1st-day; Springborough 5th-day.

*Cincinnati m. m.*, 5th-day after third 7th; Cincinnati 5th-day.

*Centre m. m.*, 5th after second 7th-day; Centre 4th-day; Wilmington 5th, Springfield 5th.

*Fall Creek m. m.*, 7th before last 1st-day but one; Fall Creek 1st mo., Clear Creek 2d mo., &c.; Fall Creek 5th-day, Clear Creek 4th, Newbury 5th.

*Green Plain m. m.*, 4th after second 7th-day; Green Plain 4th-day. Oakland indulged 4th-day.

*Alum Creek m. m.*, held 4th and 5th after third 7th-day; at Whetstone 1st mo., Owl Creek 2d mo., &c.; Whetstone 4th-day, Owl Creek 5th, Goshen 4th, King's Creek 5th-day.

**WHITEWATER QUARTERLY MEETING**, first 7th-day; at Milford 3d and 9th mos., Whitewater 6th and 12th mos.

*Whitewater m. m.*, fourth 4th-day; Whitewater 4th-day, Camden 5th, Clear Lake 5th.

*Milford m. m.*, third 5th-day, at Milton 1st, Bethel 2d, &c.; Milford 5th-day, Bethel 5th.

*Fall Creek m. m.*, second 5th-day; Fall Creek 5th-day, Duck Creek 4th. Indianapolis indulged 5th.

*Maple Grove m. m.*, first 7th-day after second 5th-day; at Maple Grove 1st mo., Rush Creek 2d, &c.; Maple Grove 5th-day, Rush Creek 4th; both at 11 o'clock.

*Westfield m. m.*, last 4th-day; Westfield 4th-day.

**BLUE RIVER QUARTERLY MEETING**, fourth 7th-day in 2d, 5th, 8th, and 11th mos.; 2d and 8th mos. at Honey Creek, 5th and 11th mos. at Blue River.

*Blue River m. m.*, first 7th-day; Blue River 5th.

*Honey Creek m. m.*, second 7th-day; Honey Creek 4th-day; Union 1st-day only.

*Clear Creek m. m.*, first 5th-day; Clear Creek 5th-day. Tazewell Co. indulged—day at—o'clock.

## BALTIMORE YEARLY MEETING.

**BALTIMORE QUARTERLY MEETING**, held the second 2d-day; at Baltimore 3d, Sandy Spring 6th, Gunpowder 9th, and Little Falls 12th mo., &c.: at 10 o'clock.

*Baltimore m. m.*, Lombard Street, 5th after first 2d-day; Western District 4th-day, Eastern District 5th-day; both at 10 o'clock; Elk Ridge 4th-day, at 11 o'clock.

*Sandy Spring m. m.*, 4th after first 2d-day, at 11 o'clock.

*Little Falls m. m.*, 3d after first 2d-day; Little Falls 5th-day, Forrest 4th: all at 10 s., 11 w.

*Gunpowder m. m.*, 4th after first 2d-day; Gunpowder 4th-day.

**NOTTINGHAM QUARTERLY MEETING**, 6th after third 2d-day, at 11 o'clock; Little Britain 2d and 11th mos., Deer Creek 5th mo., East Nottingham 8th mo.

*Nottingham m. m.*, 6th after second 2d-day; Nottingham 1st mo., East Nottingham 2d mo., &c.; East Nottingham 5th-day, West Nottingham 4th, Octorara 5th; Little Elk 4th-day: all at 11 o'clock.

*Little Britain m. m.*, 7th after second 2d-day, at 11 o'clock; at Eastland 6th, 8th, and 10th mos.; Drumore 5th, 7th, and 9th mos.; Little Britain 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 11th, and 12th mos.; Little Britain

5th-day, Eastland 4th, Drumore 4th, East Britain indulged 1st-day: all at 11, except Little Britain and Drumore, 10, in summer.

*Deer Creek m. m.*, 5th after second 2d-day, at Fawn 3d, 6th, 9th, and 12th mos.; Deer Creek others; Deer Creek 5th-day, Fawn 4th, Broad Creek 4th: all at 11 o'clock.

WARRINGTON QUARTERLY MEETING, fourth 2d-day; at Warrington 2d mo., Pipe Creek 5th mo., Monallen 11th mo., Huntington 8th mo. Ministers and elders 7th-day preceding.

*Pike Creek m. m.*, 7th before third 2d-day; at Pipe Creek 1st mo., Bush Creek 2d mo., &c.; Bush Creek 5th-day, Pipe Creek 4th: both at 11 o'clock.

*Monallen m. m.*, 4th and 5th-days before fourth 2d-day; at Monallen 1st mo. on 4th-day; Huntington 2d mo. on 5th-day; Monallen 4th-day, Huntington 5th: all at 10 s., 11 w.

*Warrington m. m.*, 4th and 5th-days before fourth 2d-day; at Warrington 1st mo. on 5th-day; Newberry 2d mo. on 4th-day, &c.; Warrington 5th-day, Newberry 4th: all at 11 o'clock.

*York m. m.*, 5th after first 1st-day, at 10 o'clock; York 5th-day.

CENTRE QUARTERLY MEETING, third 2d-day; in 2d mo. at Bald-eagle, and 11th mo. at West Branch; and first 2d-day in 6th mo. at Dunning's Creek, and 9th mo. at Centre.

*Dunning's Creek m. m.*, first 4th-day after second 2d-day; Dunning's Creek 4th-day: both at 11 o'clock.

*Centre m. m.*, 5th-day after first 2d-day; Centre 5th-day, Bald Eagle 4th: all at 11 o'clock.

*West Branch m. m.*, 5th before first 2d-day; West Branch 5th-day: both at 11 o'clock.

FAIRFAX QUARTERLY MEETING, third 2d-day; Fairfax 2d mo., Hopewell 5th mo., Goose Creek 8th mo., Alexandria 11th mo. Ministers and elders 7th-day preceding.

*Hopewell m. m.*, 5th after first 2d-day; Hopewell 5th-day, Winchester 4th, Ridge 4th: all at 11 o'clock.

*Fairfax m. m.*, 4th after second 2d-day; Fairfax 4th-day, at 11 o'clock.

*Goose Creek m. m.*, 5th after second 2d-day; Goose Creek 5th-day, at 11 o'clock.

*Alexandria m. m.*, 5th after second 2d-day; Alexandria 5th-day, Washington\* 4th; all at 11 o'clock.

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\* There is no mid-week meeting at Washington week of monthly meeting—at 3 o'clock, P. M., 1st, 2d, 3d, 10th, 11th, and 12th mos.; at 4 o'clock other months.



SIXTY YOUNG PARLOR PENS.—What does that mean? ask some of our young friends. Well I will tell you all about it. During my ten years sojourn in England, off and on, I did my best to interest the young folk there in the cause of peace and human brotherhood; to lead them to read and think on the beautiful doctrines and principles which live and breathe in the heart of that cause. I was especially anxious that they should see, know and feel all the power of the law of kindness, in regard to man, beast, bird and insect. After a while, I asked them to try their pens on their own thoughts touching this law and its sweet breathings; putting them down in the simplest words, so that when read aloud by mothers or nurses, children who had not learned the alphabet might understand them. After a little doubting and hesitation, they put pen to paper, and about sixty young ladies sent me each a little story or talk for the young children, full of pleasant teaching. I do not think that six out of the sixty ever saw one of their thoughts in print before; and they could hardly believe that such as they could think could be useful to anybody. Well, we made the nicest little packet of them I ever saw, or you either. They contain sixty-four tiny stories, no two alike, and no two written by the same pen. They are called "*Leaflets of the Law of Kindness, for the children.*" A lot of them has been sent over to America by the English printers, and they may be had of Thomas Nelson & Sons, Nassau street, New York.

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FREE LABOR COTTON GROWERS IN THE SLAVE STATES.—The readers of the *Citizen*, and, in fact, the community generally, are aware that there are a great many free labor producers scattered through the Southern States, who grow cotton in small quantities with their own hands. It is probable that 100,000 bales are grown in this manner, and mixed with the common product of the country on its way to the Northern States or to Europe. The Free Labor Produce Association of Philadelphia has taken great pains to find out the addresses of above a hundred of these small growers, and to purchase their cotton, and keep it free from contact with slavery on its way to that city. Up to within a few weeks, not one had been found who produced more than six bales a year. But a friend has just shown us a letter from his sister,

the wife of a free labor farmer in Texas, which communicates a very interesting fact. She writes: Tell Elihu Burritt that Mr. L. made twelve bales of cotton weighing 450 lbs. each, six or seven hundred bushels of corn, &c., without a negro on the place, and with only his three young boys to help; and Mr. L. was sick last fall for five or six weeks, so that he could not be with them in picking cotton." The oldest of these sons is but fourteen; so this very interesting case shows the productive capacity of free labor in growing this important staple. This is by far the largest crop produced in this way on one farm, of which we have as yet heard. We have written to this farmer to inquire if there are others doing like him in his vicinity. Speaking of the industry of her oldest son, Mrs. L. observes: "He can pick 250 lbs. of cotton in a day, and even Ams can pick 170." "Texas," she adds, "would be a great country if we had railroads to bring up our groceries from the Gulf, and for the conveying of our cotton to the different ports. As it is now, they charge more freight on groceries than a planter can afford to pay. We yesterday received three barrels, viz., sugar, flour and molasses, one sack of coffee, one of salt, and the charge from Indianola, ninety miles distant was \$30. They ask \$2 50 per hundred for hauling at this season of the year, as the roads are bad. Flour costs \$16 or \$18 by the time we get it here, and sometimes \$20. Wheat will grow in the northern part of Texas, and some people in this section raise it."

The Germans in Texas, almost to a man, adhere firmly to the economy of free labor. There are now nearly 30,000 of them in the western portion of the State, constituting a living wall of opposition to the extension of slavery into Mexico. They plant themselves in compact communities, establish journals, schools and other institutions, and create and enjoy a high state of intelligence and civilization. Their language "is all Greek" to the native Americans around them; so they are allowed a liberty of tongue and pen which is forbidden to any other class of residents. Some of these Germans are highly educated gentlemen, having distinguished themselves in their own *fatherland*. One of them in response to a letter addressed to a friend of his for information, writes:

"I see with pleasure that our brethren in sentiment at the North begin to help us practically. There is no State in the southern section of the Union more fit for producing *cotton*

and sugar by free labor than Texas, allowing with her genial climate the European and northern laborer to work hard without apprehension of sickness. The Texas cotton equals in quality, if not exceeds, every other. Negro labor, being at a high price, white labor has an advantageous competition. If, nevertheless, free has not yet disputed the ground with negro labor, it may be imputed to the following causes: First, the largest portion of our population depending on free labor in Texas, live further off from the coast, and consequently from the market, than the other. Second, the prices of corn in this upper country have been so high hitherto as to render its production as profitable as that of cotton. Third, it is everywhere difficult to introduce new branches of industry, the results of the old one always being before one's eyes, while those of the new are only problematical. There is a good basis in Western Texas for establishing the free labor cotton productions on a large scale."

We could fill an entire number of the Citizen with interesting communications from Germans in Texas on the subject of free labor farming. We hope this correspondence may be largely extended, and that we shall find most valuable co-workers in this numerous and increasing portion of the population of that State. But the Germans can live and labor as safely and successfully in the upper portions of South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi as in Texas, and they are finding their way into those States also. It would fully and well employ one man's time to correspond with these scattered communities, and communicate to them the stimulus of northern sympathy, and perhaps of material assistance, or of some facilities which would be helpful. We should be glad to receive from our readers any information they can give bearing on this subject; or the addresses of any persons of their acquaintance in the South from which such information may be obtained. Perhaps some one who may see these lines may be disposed to engage as one of the pioneers in free labor farming in the Slave States. If so, we should be highly gratified to hear from him by post. All communications for the Editor of the Citizen should be directed to New Britain, Conn.



THEORY AND PRACTICE IN WHEAT CULTURE.—Mr. Smith, of Lois Weedon, England, is rendering the farming interest of the civilized portion of the human family an almost invaluable service, by demonstrating the capacity of the atmosphere to supply all, or nearly all, the organic part of the most perfect wheat plants, when grown year after year on the same field. His experiments have now been steadily prosecuted some ten years, planting wheat after wheat, without manure of any kind; and his crop the last season is better than ever before—estimated at six quarters, or forty-eight bushels per acre. In a communication to the London Agricultural Gazette, and published in the number that bears date September 1, 1855, he thus states his “theory:”

“The leading point in this theory is, that if with a deep and pulverised interval a due supply of mineral food be furnished to the wheat plant, *the atmosphere will abundantly provide the organic portion*; and that clays and loams generally, though not universally, do afford this requisite mineral supply. The safe theory, further, is that on soils which do not contain all or any of the constituent minerals of the wheat plant, every such deficiency must be supplied from without.

When these conditions are fulfilled, the experience of many years has taught me that for this plan of growing wheat, land cannot be too much exhausted, that is, of previous manuring, or of that which—so to speak—naturally exists in the soil from the decay of animal or vegetable matter. And now for the proof. I have said that the crop on the clay land was the best and heaviest I ever had—I may even add that it was the best crop of wheat I ever saw anywhere; and yet it was the tenth crop in succession on a great portion of the same acres of land, that original portion being the best of the whole.”

Here is a theory, the complete demonstration of which will be of great advantage to the farmer. That plants receive much nutriment from the atmosphere is admitted; but the exact amount is not yet ascertained. How far organic matter in plants is dependant upon air, is probably only to be ascertained by experiments like the above. If the theory is correct, we presume it will apply to other grains. If so, we may in part account for the success experienced in some sections of the country, in raising successive crops of corn. There are instances in the Monongahela Valley of corn being raised on



the same land for forty years, and the last crop as good as any preceeding. But the experience of successive cropping for ten years will not fully establish this theory. We want a longer time, and other experiments in other localities. If another ten years' experience on the same land, confirm the results of the reverend farmer of Lois Weedon he will have done much to develop the wonderful natural resources of both the land and the atmosphere to produce wheat—the staff of human life.

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**KINDNESS TO ANIMALS.**—I have often wished I could be useful in making children think more about being kind to all dumb animals. And many times have I longed to prevent the great cruelty of confining birds in small cages; and have sighed at the sight of such little prisoners: while I said to myself, “If every one felt as I do, they would never make prisoners of the beautiful creatures a kind Providence has given for us to admire and enjoy abroad in the open air.

Would any of you like to be always shut up in a little room, only able to move from side to side in the space allotted? How cruel! you would say, for any one to serve you so. Therefore you should think and feel for these little creatures; and I cannot suppose you would delight in punishing the animals God has made if you were taught to think more, for we should be very tender to all dumb creatures. If we loved God, we should learn to be good, and then we should feel happy in trying to make everything happy around us. Kindness to animals is always spoken of as an amiable trait in a child's character; and I hope you will ever bear in mind that they can feel as well as you.

Remember there is an eye that constantly sees you, and takes an account of all you do; and your delight should be in loving to make others happy as well as yourselves. Once having known of a bird being starved to death is enough, or ought to be enough, to check others from liking to make prisoners of little birds.

I knew a family in which there were several children, and probably the care of feeding their “*Dickie*,” was not left to one only; but he was found dead in his cage, and their grandfather told me, with a sad countenance, that the poor bird had died through neglect. I cannot forget the horror that came over me on hearing it. I wish it might be told, to prevent

the keeping of such prisoners, and causing such cruelty again.

Some time ago I was much interested in the fondness evinced between a little boy and his cat. Puss was a favorite with all the family, and attached herself so much to him, that when he was poorly and confined to his chamber, puss would find her way up stairs, and lay herself on his bed, purring, and seeming so happy to be by him. If any one went into his room, she would conceal herself until they had retired, and then creep out, that she might enjoy her young master's caresses; and when he walked out, she would follow him with his faithful dog wherever he went about the home premises. Indeed, it was beautiful to see how all his kindness to his pets was rewarded by their attachment and watchfulness. "*Keeper*" seemed to be a dog of no little intelligence, and a word to go or a word to stay was understood by him. Many a lesson, I thought, might be learned from this example of kindness and love.

How many a child has been won by gentleness and kindness, that would not yield by severe measures! And we often find it so in the treatment of animals. The dog, for instance, that barks in surprise on first meeting you, and with a stick held up to him will grow very angry; but by speaking softly and kindly, and coaxing him, will often come and appear to be quite ready for a pat on his side; do you not recollect these lines:—

"Be you to others kind and true,  
As you'd have others be to you," &c.

And also the verse:—

"A man of feeling to his beast is kind;  
But brutal actions mark a brutal mind," &c.

It is well to store the memory with such useful rhymes, as the saying of them to others may often cause them to think how beautiful is the law of kindness.

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HE who is most industrious has really the most leisure; for his time is marked out into distinct portions, to each of which something is assigned; and when the thing is done, the man is at leisure; but a dead calm settles over him who lives an idle life.—*Todd*.

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